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MADIGAN—November 8, 1928, at Stella Maris, Fairfort terrace, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Madigan, 26 North Earl street, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

LAMB and McNEIGHT—November 5, 1928, at St. Victor's Church, Dunore avenue, by the Rev. Canon H. W. B. Thompson, B.D., assisted by the Rev. E. J. Young, B.D., Joseph, second eldest son of the late Joseph Lamb and of Mrs. Lamb, 18 Mount Temple road, to Frances, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. McNeight, 258 South Circular road.

MacCARTHY and WILLIAMS—November 15, 1928, at St. Andrew's Westland Row, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. W. Burke, C.C., Diarmuid E., eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Francis MacCarthy, to Eileen Audrey, eldest daughter of Major and Mrs. A. R. Williams, 76 Ely place, Dublin.

WRIGHT and SINTON—November 20, 1928, at St. John's Cathedral, Hong Kong, Robert F. Wright, Royal Artillery, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Wright, of Barton End, Alton, Hants, to K. Marjorie Sinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Sinton, Banford House, Gilford, County Down. (By cable.)

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BUTLER-CREAGH—November 23, 1928, at Dublin, Clara Butler-Creagh, of Leni Ville, Belmont avenue, Donnybrook, Co. Dublin. R.I.P. Funeral private.

CAMPBELL—November 23, 1928, very suddenly, Georgannie, beloved wife of Robert N. Campbell, Kilcharn, Herbert road, Sandymount. Funeral arrangements later.

CONDON—November 23, 1928, at 59 Strand road, Sandymount, Thomas Condon, beloved husband of Christina Condon. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

COURTNEY—November 22, 1928, at Summerhill, Nenagh, Eileen, beloved daughter of Dr. William Courtney. Remains were removed to St. Mary of the Rosary at 8.30 yesterday (Friday) evening. High Mass at 11 o'clock this (Saturday) morning. Funeral at 2 o'clock Lisboney Cemetery, Nenagh.

EVERETT—November 21, 1928, at the residence of her son-in-law, 19 Charlton terrace, Kilmainham, Margaret, dearly-loved wife of Robert Everett, Hill View, Wicklow, and mother of James Everett, T.D. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and children. Remains will arrive, per motor hearse, at St. Patrick's Church, Wicklow, at 5.30 p.m. to-day (Saturday), and funeral will take place from above Church to-morrow (Sunday) at 2.30 p.m. to family burial ground, Three Mile Water.

GARNETT—November 22, 1928, Martha Garnett, Crampton Court, Dublin. R.I.P.

HAYES—November 23, 1928, at her residence, 47 Finglas road, Glasnevin, Anne Jane, relict of the late Edward Hayes, High street, Lurgan, mother of Rev. Fr. Ambrose, C.P. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers.

KINCH—November 21, 1928, at his residence, Springfield, Arklow, John, dearly-loved husband of Jemmina Kinch. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, brother, and relatives. "Thy will be done." Funeral to-day (Saturday), 24th, at 4 o'clock, to New Cemetery, Arklow.

MURPHY—November 22, 1928, at Kilkenny, Patrick A. Murphy, Solicitor, Waterford. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. R.I.P. Funeral to-day (Saturday) from St. Canice's for Ballyhale. Interment 11.15 a.m. No flowers.

NORRIS—November 24, 1928, at 22 Fitzwilliam place, Dublin (the residence of her son-in-law), Helen Mary, widow of the late Thomas Duke Norris, D.L., R.I.C. Funeral private.

SEMPLE—November 23, 1928, at the residence of her daughter, 16 The Crescent, Gardiner, Mrs. Bedelia Semple. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

SIMONETTI—November 18, 1928, at Kensington Hospital, London, Achilles Simonetti. Deeply regretted.

STIRLING—November 23, 1928, at Mount Randal, Belfast, James Heron Stirling, aged 60. Funeral private.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. Johnson, 90 Prussia street, Dublin, desires to return sincere thanks to all kind friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy in her recent sad bereavement.

John McCarthy and family, Parkswood House, Waterford, wish to return sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement.

MONTH'S MIND.

BURNS—Month's Memory Office and High Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Rev. Ambrose M. Burns will be held in St. Michan's, Halston street, on Tuesday morning next, 27th inst., at 11 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM.

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4. Reconstruction of a Building for the Garda Siochana at Rochfortbridge, Co. Westmeath. Plans and Specification on view at Rochfortbridge (temporary) Garda Siochana Station.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the above-named deceased, who died on the 18th day of February, 1928, at Monkstown, aforesaid, are hereby required on or before the 15th day of December, 1928, to furnish particulars in writing of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the executors of deceased, to whom probate of deceased's will was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice Saorstat Eireann, on the 13th day of July, 1928.
And notice is hereby further given that after the 15th day of December, 1928, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 17th day of November, 1928.
JAMES J. LYNCH, Solicitor for the Executors, 20 Molesworth street, Dublin, and Kells, Co. Meath.

SAORSTAT EIREANN
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice made in a Cause,
THE ROYAL BANK OF IRELAND, LTD., v. MICHAEL J. DONEGAN, Record No. 1927, No. 3818, all persons claiming to be Incumbrancers affecting the premises No. 15 Victoria avenue, Morehampton road, Donnybrook, County Dublin, are by their Solicitors to enter their claims at the Central Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on or before the 20th day of December, 1928, and they are to prove their claims on the same day, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every claimant, holding any security is to produce same to the Examiner at his Office, Law Courts, Dublin Castle, on the 15th January, 1929, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for the adjudication of claims.
Dated the 21st day of November, 1928.
THOS. W. ELLEKER, Examiner.
T. A. W. PUREFOY, Solicitor for the Plaintiffs, Royal Bank of Ireland, Limited, 3 and 4 Foster place, Dublin.

SHANNON ELECTRICITY ACT, 1925.
NOTICE OF DEPOSIT OF MAPS, PLANS AND BOOKS OF REFERENCE.
WHEREAS the Minister for Industry and Commerce is about to commence civil constructional works, and for that purpose to enter on lands and premises, and exercise rights and interference with property under the above Act;
NOW THE MINISTER FOR INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE hereby gives Notice that the maps and plans showing the extent of the particular civil constructional works under the above Act about to be commenced, and all property, corporeal and (where appropriate) incorporeal, proposed to be acquired compulsorily for the purpose of such works, and also every interference (so far as same can be shown on a drawing) proposed to be made compulsorily for the said purpose with any property, corporeal or incorporeal, or any road or bridge; and a Book of Reference containing the names of the owners, or reputed owners, lessees, or reputed lessees, and the occupiers of all lands and premises proposed to be acquired or otherwise affected compulsorily for the purpose of the said works and of all property, corporeal or incorporeal (including roads and bridges) proposed to be in any way interfered with compulsorily under the above Act, have, in pursuance of Section 10 of the said Act, been deposited at 88 Merrion Square, in the City of Dublin, and also at the Employment Exchange, 64 O'Connell street, in the City of Limerick.
And such Maps, Plans and Book of Reference can be inspected free of charge by any person at the above-mentioned places daily (Sundays and Bank Holidays excepted) between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
JOHN McDONNELL, C.E., late of 18 Clyde road, Dublin, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., cap. 54, that the said John McDonnell late of 18 Clyde road, Dublin, by his will dated 11th February, 1926, made the following bequests, that is to say:—
To the Meath Hospital the sum of One Hundred Pounds.
To the Parish Priest of St. Mary's, Haddington road, Dublin, for the upkeep of the Church, the sum of Twenty-five Pounds.
To the said Parish Priest for Masses for the repose of my soul, the sum of Twenty-five Pounds.
The said Testator died on the 25th August, 1928, without having altered or revoked said Will, and Probate thereof and of a Codicil thereto was granted to Ivan Howe, 20 St. Andrew street, Dublin; Isabella FitzGerald, 18 Clyde road, Dublin, and Mary Blount, Cherrymount, North Circular road, Dublin, the Executors therein named, on 6th November, 1928, forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann.
Dated 21st day of November, 1928.
D. and T. FitzGERALD, Solicitors 20 St. Andrew street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

IN THE GOODS OF
ELLEN G. WARD, late of Bagnalstown, in the County of Carlow, Widow, Deceased.
All persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 10th November, 1928, are hereby required to send particulars (in writing) of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor.
Dated this 19th day of November, 1928.
JOHN J. DUGGAN, Solicitor, Carlow.

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TEMPLEMORE URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
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The appointment will be for six months. Salary at the rate of £80 per annum.

Applications, accompanied by testimonials, will be received by the undersigned not later than 10 a.m. on Tuesday, 27th inst.

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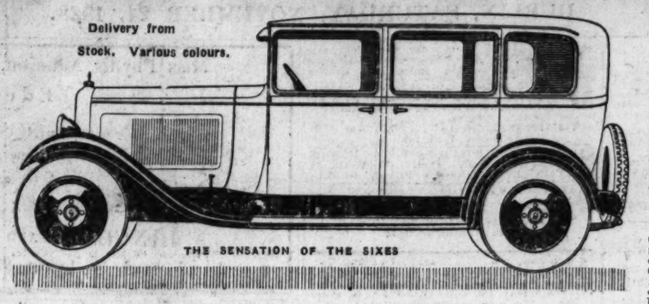

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EXPERIENCED General Wanted; good cook; good wages. Call, after 6 o'clock, 24 Marlborough road, Donnybrook. 23 A

EXPERIENCED General Maid, good cook, smart appearance, required for gentleman and wife, Donnybrook; late dinner.—H 1137, this office.

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GENERAL Wanted, small family, Kingstown; experienced, highly recommended; copies.—G 24, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 23 A

TEMPORARY General Wanted immediately, North side; must be fond of children; Catholic.—H 1134, this office. 23 C

WOULD Lady kindly recommend a trustworthy, clean, superior General, for Dublin suburbs? Every consideration shown.—H 938, this office. 21 A

WANTED for Allesbury road, young experienced General or Cook General; good wages.—H 956, this office. 21 A

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"OLD MACASSAR FISH."

MEMORIES AWAKENED.

THE TALE OF A JOSS.

(By BYRNE HACKETT.)

IT is strange how old memories may sometimes be awakened in the oddest way. One Sunday recently, while taking a short cut from Trafalgar square to Piccadilly Circus, I found myself gazing into a shop window in a side street at a bottle of Macassar fish. I had not seen one for more than a dozen years, and the sight of it brought back memories of an old friend and of old times.

MacCarthy was the friend's name, but all up and down the China Coast he was known as "Old Macassar Fish." He was a doctor on a P. and O. boat. A big broad-shouldered, jolly fellow, with a voice like a fog-horn, he was a great favourite and much in demand socially, but his activities in this line were, perforce, restricted by the smallness of his income.

His pay was meagre and only occasionally augmented, on some of his trips, by a patient or two. Yet he was such a good fellow, and treated his patients in so friendly a way, that he rarely got a fee. When he was hard up, he told me ruefully, he invariably got an engraved cigarette case. He had received about fifty cigarette cases in all. Very nice they were, too, he added, but very inadequate towards paying his expenses when he had a spell of shore leave.

He also tried to add to his income by playing bridge, but I had played with him a few times, and, judging from what I saw, he must have found this, to say the least of it, the most precarious of all methods.

As soon as his ship got east of Penang his good time began. He had many friends, and they were all glad to see him. Invitations to dinner and dances and bridge parties awaited him at every port. He repaid every host and hostess and everyone who was kind to him in the same way. He presented them with bottles of Macassar fish. I think he must have cornered the market in Macassar fish. He surely bought them by the gross. No matter how scarce they were everywhere else, his stock seemed inexhaustible. Many households from Penang to Yokohama depended on "Mac" for their regular supply, and he never failed them.

EVERY TIME A BOTTLE.

The first time when he came to my place he went into raptures over my collection of brasses. I was very proud of them. They had taken years to get together and were a carefully chosen lot. I had stopped collecting, however, when I found that every other person had started the same game, and the market had become full of expensive fakes. I explained this to "Mac," but, nothing daunted, he announced his intention of starting a collection of his own. When I saw that he was determined I gave him some advice and presented him with a piece. Next day I received my due reward. He sent me a bottle of Macassar fish.

From that time forward he put me on his permanent list. Every time his ship came into port "Mac" brought me a bottle; and I always had to give him a piece of brass in exchange. My collection of brasses gradually diminished, but I had always some delectable little red fish to offer my guests.

Then "Mac" did an unpardonable thing. On returning from a holiday I found that he had been to my place, during my absence, and walked off with my favourite piece. This was a little seated joss, with an inscrutable Mona Lisa-like smile. It was the first piece that I had ever acquired, and I was very fond of it. Often, during the course of years, I had told it my troubles, and sometimes, when I had felt gloomy and depressed, a few moments' contemplation of that placid smile and that serene, contented look had restored me to good humour. Now it was gone, and "Mac" had known all this; so I felt that there was no excuse for him.

At first I felt like writing him a reproachful letter, but later I thought of a better idea. I knew that he was very superstitious, so I wrote him the story of the joss. I told him how it had been given to me by a bonze whom I had befriended; that it had come from a Buddhist temple, where it had been looked on as sacred for several hundred years; that it had been dedicated to me personally to bring me good fortune and good luck; and that part of its spell was that it would bring misfortune and ill-luck to anyone who took it from me.

AN ALTERED MAN.

This worked even better than I expected. "Mac" turned up a few weeks later. He was an altered man. His gay smile had gone. He looked haggard and distressed. "Take your joss," he said "I never want to see it again, and if it brings you anything like the same amount of good luck that it had brought bad luck to me, it is worth guarding carefully."

Then he told me of his misfortunes. From the time when he took the joss nothing went right. He lost a month's pay at bridge on the way home. He had not had a single fee, not even a cigarette case, since he saw me last. He had a row with the Chief Officer, had been reported, and nearly lost his ship. When he got home he fell out with his best girl and she had jilted him. Things were just as bad on the way out. He had not even had enough money at Penang to buy Macassar fish.

Poor old "Mac!" I never saw him again, but I often heard from him. From the moment when he gave back the joss his luck changed. He began to make money at bridge and he had got some fat fees. His directors had found that the Chief Officer's charges were false, and had promoted him to the Australian run, and he had met a wealthy widow who was greatly interested in him.

The rest of his letters were full of the East and its unfathomable mysteries; of its incantations and charms; of its voodooism and its sorceries. He wound up by telling me to take great care of my joss and that he would send me a bottle of Macassar fish at the first chance he got.

Alas! he never had a chance to send another bottle of Macassar fish to anyone. The war came and at Gallipoli poor old "Mac" passed out. When I heard of his death I was glad that I had never disillusionised him. The story about the Buddhist bonze was imaginary. Actually I had bought my joss from a pedlar, after much haggling, for fivepence.

Yet, in the universal war-time confusion somewhere, somehow, I lost my joss; and from the day when it disappeared—I remember now—my good luck deserted me.

When I think over these things I wonder whether poor old "Mac" may not have been right: whether it may not have had some mystic properties that neither he nor I knew about: and whether, if I had guarded it more carefully, my luck might not have turned out differently. Who can answer those things?

Anyhow, is it not strange, as I have said, that after all those years these memories should have been brought back to me, just by seeing in a window a little bottle of Macassar fish?

The White Star steamer Cedric, from New York and Boston, with mails and passengers, *en route* for Liverpool, *via* Queenstown, was 802 miles west of the Fastnet at 1 p.m. yesterday, and is due to arrive at Queenstown at 6 p.m. to-morrow.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

Irishmen at Scotland Yard : Dublin's Street English : A Chrysanthemum Show.
A Bronze Age Relic : The First Test Match : Rugby in Ulster.
A Forestry Expert : Upton Sinclair.

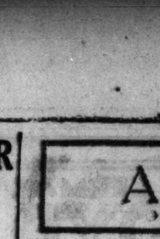
Forestry.

Mr. H. M. Fitzpatrick of the Forestry Division of the Department of Agriculture, who read a paper on the Coniferæ the other evening at the R.D.S. is one of our most promising young men of science. He is a student of Professor Henry of University College, whose "Trees of Great Britain and Ireland," is the standard work on the subject, and whose travels in China have enriched our gardens with numerous and charming exotics.

Mr. Fitzpatrick is an old Belvederian, and graduated at University College. He has successfully replaced the old method of classifying the conifers by fruit and flower, and has substituted a system of identification keys based on the yearly study of foliage. Mr. Fitzpatrick's knowledge will be a great asset to the nation when afforestation starts in earnest.

At Scotland Yard.

The news that Lord Byng, the new head of Scotland Yard, is introducing a new system of interrogation for suspects and potential witnesses, reminds me of a story told by a well-known Dubliner who found himself an involuntary guest of the Yard for a day or two seven or eight years ago. It was an Irish-born Inspector, assisted by the Inspector who had charge of Sir Roger Casement in 1916, who saw to it that the guest accepted the Yard's invitation. And to put him at his ease they showed him Casement's letter of thanks for various little kindnesses shown to him before and during his trial.



LORD BYNG.

It was an Irishman, too, who took him to be questioned in the office of the then Chief, Sir Basil Thompson. And it was an Irishman, Assistant Superintendent Bryan, who put the questions! Mr. Bryan sent for cigarettes and tea for both of them and did his best to make his guest feel at home by talking about Irish places, Irish people and Irish sporting before getting down to serious business.

"Oh, they did their best to make me think I was chatting about the homeland with an Irishman casually met abroad," said the Dubliner afterwards, "but for all their politeness I never felt quite comfortable, and I was glad to get out again into Whitehall and home to Dublin."

Upton Sinclair.

I see that what Professor Howley, of Galway, would call the "alleged intelligentsia" of the United States have been sending greetings to Upton Sinclair, whose fiftieth birthday occurs this week. Sinclair is a many-sided man, and his books have been best-sellers ever since he startled America in 1906 with his sensational exposure of conditions in the Chicago stockyards in his novel "The Jungle." In a very busy life he has found time to combine Socialist propaganda and political campaigning with novel-writing, verse-making, play-making, the founding of "back-to-the-land" colonies, and travel all over the New and Old Worlds.

Few novelists work so rapidly or have so big an output to their credit even in the United States. Every year he turns out several novels as well as volumes of literary and social criticism.

Most of his novels are based on some big current event like the trial of Sacco and Vanzetti. His novels are thus in a sense "news novels," like "Meanwhile," by H. G. Wells. Actually over 50,000 words of his book "Boston" were published serially before he had even written the concluding part.

Boston City does not like Sinclair, and it is not long since his novel "Oil" was banned by the censorship there. But his challenge to prosecute him for selling copies of his own banned book on Boston streets was not taken up. When he cannot find a publisher for his work he undertakes that job himself and acts as his own publisher.

Australia's New Captain.

J. S. Ryder, who is to captain Australia in the first Test Match at the end of next week, has one great distinction. He is a member of a very select band of four cricketers who have each played an innings of 200 and over in a Test Match. The highest individual score ever made in these classic contests was 287 by R. E. Foster at Sydney in 1903-4. That is the only double century to the credit of an Englishman, but for Australia W. Murdoch hit up 211 at the Oval in 1884, and Ryder and Syd. Gregory have each scored an innings of 201. Gregory's great score was made at Sydney in 1894-5, and Ryder's at Adelaide four years ago.

J. S. RYDER.

I find that in all tests against England Ryder has played 18 innings for a total of 568 runs, and an average of 37.86. He also has taken eight wickets for 450 runs. Against South Africa in Test Matches he has a batting average of 111.33 for four innings, and has taken four wickets for 28.25 apiece.

Dublin's Street English.

Dublin sadly needs the services of a philologist to weigh up the influence of various foreign languages upon her dialect. Whence comes, for instance, the sibilant sound given by your true Dubliner to the letter "t"? This letter, which is soft in the mouth of every Dubliner who has not been educated sternly out of the fashion simply disappears into "s" in the language of the streets. If there is any Dublin citizen who doubts the truth of this statement let him lay his hand on his heart and solemnly swear he has never been offered "tomasses" by a street trader.

Another curious Dublin pronunciation, which I first noted in the speech of Arthur Griffith, but which I have heard many times since, is the use of "jog" to represent the sound "choc." Arthur Griffith invariably referred to the popular sweet-meat as "Jogalate," and I have heard it so-called by the sweet sellers in all our Dublin theatres. The peculiar sound given to the letter "r" by Dublin newsboys, which to the ears of an English-speaking person closely resembles the sound of the letter "d," can be detected. This sound, a Gaelic teacher informs me, is close to that of the slender "r" in Irish.

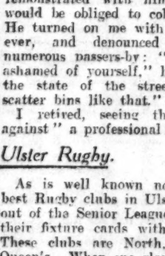
It is interesting to recall that the Dublin street arab forestalled the plans for an Irish currency by re-baptising the English currency with a new set of names. Thus a halfpenny was known to him as a "make," the farthing as a "grunch," the shilling as a "bar," whilst twopence became a "deuce." None of these names except the last seems to have any relation to English slang, and their origin is sunk in mystery.

University Bridge Club.

I notice that a new club has been formed to provide bridge facilities for graduates of the National University. I met some National men recently and they were all very keen on the idea of the club and they told me the first two meetings were a great success. Up to forty people were present at the second meeting. It is hoped, I understand, to extend the activities of the club in other directions, provided it meets with adequate support. The absence of any facilities for social intercourse between National men is remarkable in a city where there are probably seven thousand engaged in various occupations.

Bronze Age Find.

An interesting Bronze Age interment has just been unearthed on Ticknock mountain above Dundrum, County Dublin. The initial discovery was made by Mr. James Byrne, a young man who lives in the district. Mr. Byrne reported his find to the National Museum authorities, who at once investigated it. The excavation, a rather delicate operation on account of the very fragile condition of the vessel, was completed by Mr. L. S. Gogan. The photograph shows the vessel at the completion of the excavation. The site is recognised locally as a raheen, a name often applied to the site of an ancient burial: it possesses the inevitable lone thorn. Mr. Gogan places the interment in the closing phases of the Bronze Age. A similar vessel was found a yard away, but unfortunately it was broken. A sufficient number of the pieces have, however, been recovered to show that they are at one date and type with the perfect specimen.



THE VESSEL.

Burning Bins.

As I was passing through Merrion square on various evenings lately I noticed a crowd of children collecting cinders from the Corporation bins in large sacks they had brought with them for the purpose. Some of them had also made fires in the bins and others seemed to have filled them with water, as they were engaged in a very grimy type of washing.

Quite a lively industry is carried on in connection with Dublin bins, one way and another. I remember seeing an elderly gentleman poking my own bin with a stick—in search of I do not know what—and causing numerous papers and pieces of cardboard to fly out and cover the street. When he had emptied half the bin and reduced that part of the street to a state of unparalleled disorder I gently remonstrated with him, saying that I would be obliged to collect it all again. He turned on me with great fury, however, and denounced me before the numerous passers-by: "You ought to be ashamed of yourself," he said; "look at the state of the street—disgraceful to scatter bins like that."

I retired, seeing that I was "up against" a professional bin scatterer.

Ulster Rugby.

As is well known now, three of the best Rugby clubs in Ulster have dropped out of the Senior League, and have filled their fixture cards with friendly games. These clubs are North, Instonians and Queen's. When one glances at the Ulster team to meet Munster the impression formed is that the selectors seem to have paid most attention to the play of these clubs, as no fewer than twelve of the team have been chosen from them—six from Instonians, two from Queen's, and four from North. A feature of the team selected is that no fewer than four of the forwards are Instonians, whose pack is giving sparkling displays this season.

Omnibus Dangers.

Some days ago I was coming through the congested Ulanbrassil street and New street area on an omnibus. A boy of about twelve years old dashed in front of the omnibus, and an accident seemed certain. The driver, however, kept his head and swerved nearly to the right-hand footpath and brought his vehicle to a stand-still. The boy stumbled against the side of the omnibus and escaped with a bad fright. The passengers rose in their seats and spontaneously voiced their appreciation of the driver's skill and coolness. The boy certainly had a remarkable escape, and it is a tribute to the carefulness of omnibus drivers that, in such crowded districts, where children must, of necessity, play on the footpaths and roads, accidents are so rare.

Chrysanthemums.

There is a display of lovely blooms at The Moorings, 59 Merrion road, Ballsbridge, where Mr. John Good, T.D., and Mrs. Good are holding an exhibition of chrysanthemums in aid of the Meath Hospital. Mrs. Good is an indefatigable worker on behalf of various other deserving charitable objects, including the linen guild of Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, and has also taken her part in public matters, having been for some years a member of the Dublin Board of Guardians.

MR. J. GOOD.

Mr. Good also has the urge to "fill the unforgiving minute." He has more commercial and public interests than most men, and in the summer periods of relaxation from business and official duties seeks recreation in the strenuous sport of racing in his yacht, the Lady Edith. Last season he raced at the Clyde Regatta, Ramsey, Bangor, and, of course, Kingstown.

A Naval Engagement.

The swing bridge across the entrance to the inner basin of the Grand Canal at the end of Brunswick street was some years ago the scene of an accident that is probably without precedent. A sailing vessel was made ready to pass in from the outer basin, but before the bridge was opened a short delay was made to allow an approaching tramway car to cross. The vessel had some way on, and before it could be stopped its bowsprit protruded well over the bridge, with the result that a collision occurred between the vessel and the tram, with resultant damage to both. The matter was actually tried in an action in the Admiralty Courts between the Tramway Company and the owners of the sailing vessel.

The Hazard of Life.

We hear a great deal nowadays of the risks to life that the average man runs every day. Alarming statistics are published yearly giving the number of deaths from railway, road, and other accidents, till it would really appear that in this mechanised age we carry our lives in our hands. Yet somehow we manage to survive. The Dublin pedestrian is notoriously careless. He saunters from the shelter of the pavement into the No-man's-land of the road with the greatest casualness. Quite often (as we see every day in Grafton street) he takes to the road altogether. This in spite of the fact that the 'bus drivers of Dublin are notoriously sporting and that there are many potential Malcolm Campbells among them. Yet, comparatively speaking, accidents are few. The greatest testimony of this is the numerous forms of insurance in existence. Insurance companies are not benevolent institutions, nor do the newspapers, which hold out such tempting terms, do so from purely humanitarian motives. With the accredited companies, of course, it is possible to insure against almost every kind of accident, but with the newspapers there is often, as the man in the street would say, "a catch in it."

England's Rugby Trial.

The teams for the first of England's Rugby trial matches are to be chosen in London this week-end, and will be published on Monday. The match is at Newcastle the following Saturday, and one expects to see more than a fair sprinkling of Northerners in the teams. In spite of England's unbeaten record last season there are sure to be changes in the *personnel* of the national side. The general idea is that three new three-quarters will be wanted, and three new forwards, to say nothing of possible alterations at half-back. In view of the near approach of the University match, neither Oxford nor Cambridge men are available until the second trial at Camborne on December 15. From the point of view of building an England team this is unfortunate; for C. D. Aarvold, the Cambridge captain, looks like being the inspiration of the back division, and he may even take his right wing, R. W. Smeddle, into the side with him. Both Aarvold and Smeddle are old boys of Durham School.

C. D. AARVOLD.

QUIDNUNC.

SOME COACHING INNS.

WHERE KINGS AND QUEENS HAVE STAYED.

DICK TURPIN'S RIDE.

(By LEONARD PAIGNTON.)

A FAMOUS North London coaching inn, the Eyre Arms, is to be demolished. What stories it could tell of the century of its existence—of the balloon ascents from its grounds, and of the famous tournament held there in 1831 by the Earl of Eglinton, on the lines of one in the Middle Ages, in which Prince Louis Napoleon took part!

What stories could not most of the old coaching inns of England tell? Some of them have disappeared, but a great number are still standing to remind us of Pickwick and Sam Weller, and, before them, of Dick Turpin.

Turpin touched many of these famous hostelries in his ride from London along the York road. He started off from the Jack Falstaff at Kilburn—this wonderful highwayman whom Macaulay pronounced to be a myth (though he was hanged right enough). Getting to horse on his mare Black Bess, he first shot his friend Tom King by mistake—not a promising start for that ride to York! At an inn just outside Ware, in Hertfordshire, twenty one miles from London, his pursuers caught sight of him, standing with his bridle in his hand coolly quaffing a tankard of ale.

Dick was off, however, and here the pursuers changed horses, either at the Bull or the Fox and Hounds, and went after him far into the night. Turpin did not stop until he reached the George, in Huntingdon, with its old gallery and courtyard. It was mid-way between Alconbury Hill and Stilton that he came upon the York coach, but he was recognised, and so went off again.

THE FAMOUS GEORGE.

At the George, near Burleigh House by Stamford Town, in Lincolnshire, he called for three bottles of brandy, a pail of water, a scraper, and a raw beefsteak. He then washed Bess from head to foot before he tasted a noggin himself. The Red Lion at Tuxford was his next calling place, and he soon left a long way behind, some of his pursuers resting at the Angel at Grantham, a fine old inn. So he went on to York, outside which city poor Black Bess tottered and fell.

On this York road, which Turpin took, the most famous hostelry that he touched was possibly the George at Stamford, a house redolent of old memories. Royalty itself was entertained in this house in the person of Charles I. The King slept here on his way from Newark to Huntingdon in 1645. Sir Walter Scott was frequently in this house on his many visits to London, before he was known as the author of the famous novels. At this house also, stayed a different sort of person, the Duke of Cumberland or "Butcher of Culloden," on his way up to London.

The Angel at Grantham, with its handsome exterior, was known to many travellers in the old coaching days. In this celebrated inn on October 19th 1485, Richard III. signed the death warrant of the Duke of Buckingham.

"FLYING MACHINES."

There are many famous inns with their quaint signs still standing on the Bath, Exeter, Portsmouth, Brighton, Dover and Holyhead roads which were dear to the hearts of a coaching age. The days are gone of the Bear at Reading, with its tumbledown appearance and quaint iron sign. One of the old coaches which used to touch there was called the "Flying Machine," and in those days it was regarded with far more interest, as it stood on Ludgate Hill in the yard of the Belle Savage, than we bestow on an aeroplane.

Highwaymen always looked out for the "Flying Machine," but they were not always successful in robbing it. Many a fierce battle took place between the robbers and the passengers before the coach pulled up for its first stop near Hounslow Heath.

Some of the rooms in comfortable old inns of the Bath road are supposed to be haunted, and are still much in favour with tourists, especially Americans. Pepys, the diarist was very fond of the Hart and the Castle Inns at Marlborough, and Evelyn, the historian, also dined at the Hart—at that time one of the finest hostelries in the Kingdom.

QUAINTLY-NAMED INNS.

Fanny Burney and Dr. Johnson's Mrs. Thrale stayed at the Bear Inn at Devizes, and it was here that Fanny Burney met the future Sir Thomas Lawrence, the great portrait painter, who found many notable subjects for his brush among the coaching parties that put up there.

Salisbury used to be noted for quaint names bestowed on its inns—The Hole in the Wall, Catherine Wheel, Three Swans and the Lamb and Flag. The Exeter road abounds in White Harts, and at an inn, which was once the pride of the cathedral city, Jack Cade is said to have had his headquarters.

The Seven Thorns Inn, near Hindhead, on the Portsmouth road, is supposed to stand where three counties meet. It was always a favourite posting place. At the Anchor, outside Portsmouth, have stayed Queen Anne, King George III. and Queen Charlotte, and the Duke of Clarence, afterwards William IV. You have only to read your Dickens in order to appreciate the old coaching romances of the Dover road.

"THE CHALLENGE OF LABRADOR."

SIR WILFRED GRENFELL'S LECTURE.

"The Challenge of Labrador" was the title of a lecture delivered by Sir Wilfred Grenfell, K.C.M.G., M.D., in the Hall of the Royal Dublin Society yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance, and the lecture, illustrated by lantern slides, was much appreciated.

In the course of his address Sir Wilfred Grenfell said that thirty-five years' work had seen the establishment of a chain of hospital centres along the coast of Labrador and North Newfoundland which had proved of inestimable benefit to the people there. At these hospitals no one was refused treatment, and those who could pay did so according to their means.

The problem of education in scattered communities was a very real one. It was hoped partially to solve the problem with the boarding school at Muddy Bay, but while preparations were being made for this in 1918 Labrador suffered from a plague of influenza, and the sufferings and loss of life were appalling. It was imperative to find shelter for fifty orphaned children who had no relative to care for them, and thus came into being a combined home and boarding school, where a splendid work had since been carried on. In February of this year the school was burned. The immediate need was a new building, and it was hoped, if sufficient funds were forthcoming, to get it under weigh next summer. In October a combined boarding and day school was opened at North-West River, and already there were between sixty and seventy scholars. The industrial department of the mission was a centre for various kinds of useful work, by which many were taught to support themselves and their families.

The lecturer dealt at length with medical work, and in conclusion spoke of the mission work as a glorious challenge—the challenge to get up and help others—the chivalry of the Christ Service.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

AN AUTHOR'S COMPLAINT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Mr. Kelleher is justly annoyed at the passing of a time-honoured custom of publishers—the sending to the author of the first six copies of his book published—and Irish publishers have equal cause of complaint in being compelled to send ten copies of every book, pamphlet or paper they publish to the ten privileged libraries in Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales, free of all expense. It is a most unjust tax on a particular business, and with equal injustice the Government might compel every baker in Ireland to send a loaf from every batch to ten different institutions and pay the carriage in addition.

The Saorstat Copyright Act of 1927 is practically a copy of the English Copyright Act of 1911, with the iniquitous addition of many free copies. English publishers have to send a copy of every book published to the British Museum (on which the Government pays postage), and, "on application," to the Bodleian Library, Oxford, the University Library, Cambridge, the National Library of Scotland, the Library of Trinity College, Dublin, and the National Library of Wales. Irish publishers are compelled to send, within one month after date of publication, at their own expense, a copy of every book published, to the National Library of Ireland, the Library of Trinity College, Dublin, the Library of the National University of Ireland (three copies) and to the British Museum; also, "on application," to the Bodleian Library, Oxford, University Library, Cambridge, National Library of Scotland and National Library of Wales. The Irish publisher is liable, on summary conviction, to a fine of £5 and the value of the book, if he fails to comply with all these conditions. The Irish publishers are, indeed, grateful that they are not liable to imprisonment. In addition to the cost of the book there is the charge for packing and postage and the loss of sales, as it is calculated that every library copy is read by six probable buyers.

The question of this unfair taxation was brought before the notice of the Government when the bill was under discussion—in the first draft of the bill only two free copies were provided for, to which the publishers raised no objection—and their protest against the tax of ten free copies was not considered. The publishers were few, but the librarians were many; and so the Government sacrified justice to influence, with the result that Ireland will very soon be raised to that "bad eminence" of being a nation without a publisher.—Yours, etc.,

W. G. LYON.

20 Palmerston Park, Dublin,
November 23rd, 1928.

QUEEN'S COUNTY LIMESTONE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—How came it that the Maryborough War Memorial was made of Carlow limestone, when the Queen's County limestone is the nicest of all? It is light grey, not dark, like others. The Border does not hinder a great deal of the stone from the quarries at Clonageera (near Durrow) being sent to Belfast and to Donegal and elsewhere. It goes to Dublin to be made into the headstones that are uniform in the Friends' sleeping places and that give a repose unknown in resting places where memorials vary. At Clonageera was made the monument for the grave of Sir George White of Ladysmith, in far away Broughahane churchyard, and thence many years afterwards came the Irish cross for Mr. Kevin O'Higgins's grave in Glasnevin. Durrow was at one time in the County Kilkenny.

Columbkill foretold that the seasons in Ireland would change places. It was stranger than a late swallow for a rake of fallen leaves to be viciously devoured by midges for some hours on the afternoon of the twentieth of November.—Yours, etc.,

"K."

Queen's County, November 22nd, 1928.

MOTHERS' UNION.

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY SERVICE.

The Most Rev. the Bishop of Meath was the preacher at a special Service and celebration of Holy Communion held yesterday in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, in connection with the Mothers' Union anniversary meetings.

The text was from the First Epistle of St. John, Chapter V., Verse 4—"For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world; and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith." I believe, the preacher said, that the Christian world has a future before it even greater than all its wonders of the past. Ludicrous, if it were not tragic, is the error of those who tell us that Christianity is played out. . . . I believe that never was there in man a greater force of religion, and at no time did religion go deeper than in the age which is now beginning. This affects you of the Mothers' Union very much indeed. . . .

Our Church is going to keep—and more than keep—the world's interest on the same lines as the British Empire kept up the struggle in the Great War. Every nerve must be strained; we must put much greater reality into religion than we have done; there must be much greater reality in faith. Our faith must be a real thing—a living thing. We need a faith—and I want to impress this upon you—that will enable us to help our sons and daughters to meet that relentless fire of criticism they must meet in this age of intellectual liberty. We cannot be sure that things will be for them as they were for us older people; indeed, we may be certain they will not. Nor will it be enough to throw all upon the clergy; the faith of the Church is not the faith of the clergy alone. We must have done with the notion that all a churchman and churchwoman have to do is to say their prayers and go to church and give of their substance. Much more than that is needed. We are bound to love God our Father not only with all our heart, but with all our strength and all our mind. Books and novels are being circulated in which truth, as it is known to us, is criticised. I think we are in an age that is greedy for what is new. Men are asking not merely the "how," but the "why" of things. Ignorance and devoutness are not synonymous terms. Too often parents deplore their children's attitude in an age of universal criticism, like our own. But a faith is doomed which seeks no intelligent understanding of itself.

DUTY TO THE YOUNG.

We do not spend the whole of Sunday in church—of course not; there must be recreation and rest. I am not here to discuss the question of Sunday recreation; that is a matter for personal conscience. I am persuaded of one thing, however. An hour or two of serious reading may be secured by all who have a due sense of their obligations, not only to themselves, but also to their children, and to all with whom they have to do. Have a reason for the faith that is in you, and be ready to give an answer to them that ask.

It is for you to persuade people, and especially your own children, that the Church develops all the noblest aspirations of mankind. I am afraid that few of the well-to-do classes are entering the ministry of our Church to-day. The number of candidates for the ministry is far smaller than it ought to be. Here is a matter in which you can help us. I am not asking you to press your sons to enter the ministry of the Church. There must be the vocation for it, otherwise their work will be a failure. But I do ask, if your boy seems to have a vocation, that you will do the utmost possible for him; do not put obstacles in his way; help him all you can; do not spoil God's work in his heart.

SALEROOM PRICES FOR OLD SILVER AND FURNITURE.

At a sale of old silver plate at Christie's salerooms in London last Wednesday, a William and Mary plain wine cup, with shallow bowl on baluster stem and circular foot, dated 1690, realised 430s. per oz, and an Irish plain tazza, 7¼ins. in diameter (Dublin, 1712), 120s. per oz.

At Thursday's sale of old English furniture, six Queen Anne chairs, with stuffed seats and backs, walnut cabriole legs carved with acanthus foliage, and scroll feet, were bought for £693; a pair of oblong stools en suite 24ins. wide, for £275, and an arm chair en suite with spoon back, £430. A Chippendale mahogany arm chair, stuffed seat and back framework, and cabriole legs, carved foliage and scrollwork, in French taste, brought £275 5s.

Another set of six Queen Anne walnut chairs realised £294. A similar sum was paid for four Chippendale mahogany chairs with vase-shaped centres with backs, cabriole legs and ball and claw feet.

A panel of Brussels tapestry, woven with peasants and animals in foreground, and wooded landscape in distance, 10ft. high by 7ft. 3ins. wide, early eighteenth century, was bid up to £682 10s.

BROADCASTING

Dublin and Belfast stations both will broadcast to-night the Schubert centenary commemoration concert arranged by the Dublin station. The concert will take place in Rathmines Town Hall. Mr. Vincent O'Brien will conduct the 2RN Symphony Orchestra; Schubert songs will be sung by Miss Elizabeth Mellor and Mr. P. J. Duffy, and Maestro Viani will give an address on Schubert's music. Schubert's Symphony No. 5 is almost a novelty; for orchestras rarely go beyond the "Unfinished" and the great C major (No. 7).

The London programme also includes a Schubert concert, the performers being Rose Hignell (soprano) and George Baker (bass), and the Wireless Military Band, which is to play the three Military Marches and some of Schubert's pianoforte music specially arranged for military band.

Daventry Experimental is relaying this afternoon a Schubert orchestral concert for children to be given at Birmingham Town Hall. To-night it gives a symphony concert, concluding with Sullivan's "Irish" Symphony, a work seldom revived and virtually unknown to the present generation.

TO-DAY

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Forecast and Gramophone Concert. 7.30—Val. Vousden entertainers. 7.45—Gaedhilg—Seamus O Duirinne. 8.0—Schubert Memorial Concert (relayed from Rathmines Town Hall. 2RN Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Mr. Vincent O'Brien. P. J. Duffy (baritone); Elizabeth Mellor (soprano). Orchestra—Overture, "Rosamunde." 8.10—P. J. Duffy: Schubert songs (religious)—"Litanei," "Pax Vobiscum." 8.20—Elizabeth Mellor: "Ave Maria." 8.25—Orchestra—Symphony No. 5 in D Major. 8.50—Elizabeth Mellor: "Ave du Musik," "Nacht und Traume," "Wohin." 9.0—Address by Maestro A. G. Viani. 9.15—Orchestra: Overture, "Alfonso and Estrella." 9.25—P. J. Duffy: "The Erl King." 9.30—Orchestra: Ballet Music from "Rosamunde." 9.40—Elizabeth Mellor: "Ave Maria," "The Novice." 9.50—Orchestra: Menuetto, Polonaise. 10.0—P. J. Duffy: "Wiegenlied," "Serenade." "Das Rosenband." "Die Rub." 10.15—Orchestra: "Marche Militaire." 10.20—Dorothy Day and Company (from 2RN)—"That Walks by Night," a thriller by Helen Staunton. 10.30—Weather Forecast and close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).

3.10—London. 4.30—Gramaphone. 4.45—Cinema Organ. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Eye-Witness Account of Ulster v. Munster Rugby Football Match. 6.15—London. 7.45—Gramaphone. 8.0—Schubert Centenary Concert (relayed from Rathmines Town Hall). 9.0-10.0—London.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,562.5 Metres** (192 Kc.).

10.15 a.m.—The Daily Service. 10.30—Time Signal (Greenwich). Weather Forecast. 1.0-2.0 The Carlton Hotel Orchestra. 3.10—Arsenal v. Aston Villa: A Running Commentary. 4.5—Ballad Concert. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Musical Interlude. 6.15—Time Signal (Greenwich). Weather Forecast. 6.45—The Foundations of Music: Duets of Schubert. 7.0—Mr. Ernest Newman: "Next Week's Broadcast Music." 7.25—Professor P. J. Noel Baker: "The Future of British Sport." 8.0—Military Band Concert: A Schubert Programme. 9.0—Weather Forecast. 9.15—Topical Talk. 9.35—"Advanced Sparks": a Musical Manual for Motorists, by L. du G. 10.35-12.0—Dance Music.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.).

2.30—Children's Concert of Schubert Music (to be played from the Town Hall, Birmingham. The City of Birmingham Orchestra. 3.45—The Midland Pianoforte Sextet. 4.30—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 5.30—Children's Hour. 6.15—Time Signal (Greenwich), Weather Forecast. 6.45—Light Music. 8.0—Vaudeville. 9.0-11.15—A Symphony Concert.

TO-MORROW.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

8.30-11.0—Relay of Cork Programme. 8.30—Cork Municipal School of Music Choral Society (conductor, Herr A. Fleischmann; soloist, Miss Rita Wallace; Mrs. J. B. Horgan, soprano): Two Old Irish Airs for Male Choir (MS.) Shirley," Unfinished Opera (Mendelssohn). 9.0—J. V. Keohan (tenor): "Drink to me only" (Trad.), "Serenata" (Schubert), "Ave Maria" (Flotow). 9.10—Master G. Shanahan (piano): Prelude in A Flat (Chopin), Troisieme Ballade (do.), Variations on a Theme by Glinka (Liadow). 9.35—Elizabeth Mellor (soprano): "Lullaby" (Brahms), "Let the bright Seraphim" (Handel). 9.45—Station Septet: "The Lark" (Glinka), "Kamarinskaya" (do.), "Valse Fantaste" (do.). 10.5—J. V. Keohan (tenor): "When other lips" (Balfe), "Has sorrow thy young days" (Moore), "Love thee dearest" (Moore and Stephenson). 10.20—Elizabeth Mellor (soprano): "The Lorelei" (Liszt), "My mother bids me bind my hair" (Haydn), "Serenata" (Toselli). 10.35—Station Septet: "Petite Suite" (Debussy): "En Bateau," "Cortege," "Minuet," "Ballet." 11.0—National Anthem. Weather Forecast and Close Down.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.).

3.30—London. 5.45-6.15—London. 8.0—London. 10.30—Epilogue.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,562.5 Metres** (192 Kc.).

10.30 a.m.—Time Signal, Greenwich: Weather Forecast. 3.30—A Symphony Concert: Marjorie Hayward (violin), the Wireless Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Sir Henry J. Wood. 5.0—Nicholas Medtner: A Recital of his own Music, assisted by Tatiana Makushina. 5.30—Reading from "The Pilgrim's Progress." 5.45-6.15 approx.—Church Cantata (No. 116), Bach, from St. Ann's Church, Manchester. 8.0—A Religious Service, from the Studio. 8.45—The Week's Good Cause. 8.50—Weather Forecast. 9.5—Albert Sandler and the Park Lane Hotel Orchestra. 10.30—Epilogue: "The Foolish Virgins."

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.).

3.30—A Ballad Concert. 4.15-5.30—A Military Band Concert. 7.25—A Religious Service, relayed from the Cathedral, Birmingham. 8.45—The Week's Good Cause. 8.50—Weather Forecast. 9.0—Selections from Mendelssohn's "Elijah." 10.30—Epilogue.

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"LA TRAVIATA."

Verdi's "La Traviata" was performed for the first time this season by the Royal Carl Rosa Opera Company at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, last night, in the presence of a very large audience. A feature of the present season has been the very large attendance night by night.

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As to the singers, the most successful vocalist of the night was Mr. Hubert Dunkerley, who invested the part of the father, George Germont, with an atmosphere that won ready sympathy. His singing throughout was very good, and rarely has a baritone given the familiar "Di Provenza" with such appealing artistry. His reading of the character was on the same high plane as that of

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SERMONS

IN COMMEMORATION OF

THE CENTENARY

will (D.V.) be preached on
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), November 25th, 1928,
In ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH,
Thomas street, Dublin, at 11.30 a.m.
Preacher: Rev. Canon H. W. B. THOMPSON, B.D., and in
SAINT VICTOR'S CHURCH,
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Preacher: Rev. R. BIRD, M.A., D.S.O.

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MAGDALEN CHURCH.

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7—"OUR LIFE AFTER DEATH (4): THE TRAINING OF PERSONALITY."

MORAVIAN FOREIGN MISSIONS.

A SERMON

On behalf of these Missions will (D.V.) be Preached in the
MORAVIAN CHURCH, KEVIN STREET, LOWER,
On TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) NOV. 25th, 1928,
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11.30—Preacher: Rev. JAMES M. ALLEY.
Anthem—"Blessed are the Merciful" (Hiles).
7 p.m.—Preacher: Rev. JAMES M. ALLEY.
Subject—"PEER GYNT," by Ibsen.
Anthem—"O, Lord, my Strength" (Auber).
Collections in aid of Dublin Hospitals.

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SPECIAL SERMONS
ON
"SAINTS IN PRISON"

"AND THEIR WRITINGS."
By Rev. R. LEE COLE, M.A., B.D.,
TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) EVENING, at 7 o'clock.
Subject: SAMUEL RUTHERFORD.

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AN ADDRESS
Will (D.V.) be given in
THE HALL, 40 WESTLAND ROW
On LORD'S DAY, at 7 p.m.,
Entitled:
"THE TRUTH OF THE GOSPEL,"
REVEALED, PERVERTED, DEFENDED.

TEACHERS' IRISH EXAMINATION.

The examination of national school-teachers for the various certificates of qualification to teach in and through Irish was held yesterday (November 23rd) by the Department of Education at 74 centres throughout the Free State—Dublin, Cork, Limerick, Galway and all the larger towns. 5,000 teachers of national schools and persons qualified to act as teachers sat for the examination, in which there are three grades—Teastas, Da-Theangach and Ard-Teastas.

There was also an examination in rural science through the medium of Irish, attended by about fifty teachers.

YESTERDAY IN DAIL EIREANN.

UPHOLDING THE DIGNITY OF THE CHAIR.

FIANNA FAIL DEPUTY SUSPENDED FOR THE SECOND TIME.

NOISY DEMONSTRATION BY THE OPPOSITION.

One of the Fianna Fail representatives for Cork Borough, Mr. Flinn, again came into conflict with the Chair in Dail Eireann yesterday, and was suspended.

Mr. Coburn, of the National League, and the members of the Opposition protested against the suspension, and some disorder ensued. It was claimed by the Opposition that Mr. Flinn had not used the words attributed to him, and that the Speaker had acted under a misapprehension. The matter may come up for discussion on next Wednesday.

The incident occurred during the debate on the Appropriation Bill, which eventually passed final reading by 78 votes to 53.

The Teachers' Superannuation Bill finally passed, and the House agreed to the second reading of the Courts of Justice (No. 2) Bill, 1928.

OPPOSITION'S CURIOUS MISCONCEPTIONS.

NOTIONS ABOUT THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

Resuming the debate on the second reading of the Appropriation Bill, 1928,

Mr. BRISCOE (F.F., Dublin, S.), said that in the opinion of his party the housing policy of the Government was all wrong.

Dr. HENNESSY (Government, Dublin, S.), said that he was sorry to hear Mr. de Valera say that he was the victim of moral assassination. He (Dr. Hennessy) had no sympathy with such methods, but, somehow, the assassination was very crude, for anybody who would look at Deputy de Valera would not regard him as a successful Don Juan. He had heard no practical suggestion as to how economies could be effected, except with regard to the Civic Guards and the Army. He believed that if they had no Civic Guards or Army they would have anarchy in the country. The existence of these forces secured constitutional law, and the rule of the majority made them necessary in their present numbers. If they wanted to raise a loan in the morning, and these forces were abolished, that loan would be a failure. For that reason the Civic Guards and the Army were a business proposition.

Mr. McGILLIGAN, Minister for Industry and Commerce, said that there seemed to be a certain amount of mystification as to what the Appropriation Bill was. It was not a run over estimates again to discuss particular matters affecting members' own constituencies. It was meant for the discussion of general matters which were relevant to the particular bill. Such things as old age pensions and general taxation had nothing to do with the bill. Reference, for example, had been made by Mr. Corish to the destruction of Liberty Hall in 1916, and by Deputy Ruttledge to the case of ex-R.I.C. men. These were not matters for the Appropriation Bill. Deputy Fahy had complained of the number of commissions set up without result, and then asked for another one with general terms of reference as to what good they were getting from the money expended on all forms of education. That was what passed for criticism of the Appropriation Bill.

A DOUBTFUL BLESSING.

Another deputy, Mr. Little, wanted Irish neutrality guaranteed by France, Germany, Great Britain and the United States. That was his solution, and he talked about the benefits of guaranteed neutrality. They all knew what benefits had been gained by Belgium over her guaranteed neutrality. It did Belgium no good, but a lot of other countries gained a great deal of the support of world opinion as a result of the violation of Belgian neutrality. Probably if Irish neutrality was guaranteed, and subsequently violated, other nations might gain by the violation, but we would not.

A complaint was made by Deputy Clery that a letter of his to the Department with reference to the kelp industry had not been answered for three months. If the deputy was seriously concerned about the kelp industry he could easily have called the attention of the Minister to the fact that his letter had not been answered, instead of waiting for three months to make use of that fact when a suitable occasion arose. If the deputy would even now give him the date on which the letter was written he would try and have it traced. As a matter of fact, the kelp industry had been occupying the attention of his Department for many months. Of many suggestions made, two were outstanding, and outside advice had been called in to advise on their comparative merits.

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Reference was also made to his attitude to Soviet Russia. What he had said on the question of trading with Russia was that, as far as the settlement of trade relations with different foreign countries was a matter of importance, the Government was dealing with the various foreign countries in their order of relative importance to this country as far as trade and diplomatic relations were concerned. If evidence was advanced that the absence of such relations was impeding trade at the moment it would raise Soviet Russia considerably higher in the Department's list of relatively important nations. He asked those who believed that the Government's attitude in this matter was governed by some agreement with England to test it by advancing some practical proposition, and they would find that the Government was not opposed to any necessary arrangement. Eventually trade relations with Russia would be established in a formal way.

On the suggestion made by Mr. Carney that persons in receipt of Government grants for the erection of houses in O'Connell street should have to use Mountcharles stone, Mr. McGilligan said that there were no Government grants for this purpose.

Mr. CARNEY (F.F., Donegal) said that he saw an advertisement stating that this site carried a Government grant of £18,000.

Mr. McGILLIGAN said that this money was compensation for property destroyed, and would not suffice to rebuild the buildings. The people concerned were not favoured citizens in receipt of a subsidy, but unfortunate citizens, and was there to be added to their misfortunes a clause prescribing the material they were to use. He presumed they would use Mountcharles stone if it was suitable and economical, but to insist on their doing so would be a form of protection. Was that suggested?

Messrs DE VALERA (F.F., Clare) and LEMASS (Dublin S.) asked would these people be allowed to use Mount Charles stone; was there not an agreement among the suppliers of building materials governing the point?

Mr. GOOD (Ind., Dublin Co.)—An agreement of which only you know.

Mr. McGILLIGAN said that the question they were discussing was whether there should be protection for Mount Charles stone.

DEPUTY SUSPENDED.

SPEAKER ON RESPECT DUE TO THE CHAIR.

Mr. FLINN (F.F., Cork Borough) said that it had been suggested by the Minister for Industry and Commerce that there was nothing but irrelevancy in the discussion the previous day in every word that was said from the Fianna Fail benches. If they were irrelevant there must not have been proper supervision by the authority in the Chair, and now that a proper authority——

The SPEAKER (sharply)—The Minister made no such suggestion. The deputy made the suggestion himself, and it is uniformly consistent with his attitude towards the Chair whoever the occupant is. No such suggestion was made. It was untrue, and was unworthy, and it should not be made any more. Not another word of it.

Mr. FLINN made a remark which was not clearly heard in the Press Gallery, but was subsequently stated to be "a privileged attack."

The SPEAKER—Will the deputy repeat the statement?

Mr. FLINN—I will not, sir.

The SPEAKER—I will repeat it. The deputy said "the privilege of the cat." Deputy Flinn's conduct in this House is becoming intolerable. I name Deputy Flinn for insolence to the Chair.

President COSGRAVE—I move that Deputy Flinn be suspended from the service of the House.

The SPEAKER then put the motion and declared it carried.

Mr. FLINN—I would like to tell——

The SPEAKER—The motion is carried. Deputy Flinn will retire from the House.

Mr. LEMASS then called for a division, which was taken, and resulted in 71 votes for the motion, and 55 against.

A DELAYED EXIT.

The SPEAKER—I accordingly ask Deputy Flinn to withdraw.

Mr. FLINN then rose, bowed towards the Chair, and was about to retire, when

Mr. DE VALERA asked was it wrong for a deputy to use the words "privileged attack" when a Minister chose to speak last and was in a privileged position to make statements which no deputy was in a position to reply to?

The SPEAKER—The words seemed to me to be "the privilege of the cat." I asked what words were used, and the deputy refused to give them. It is not in order for any deputy to make an attack on the Chair or on anyone occupying the chair, no matter who he is. The matter has been put to the House and the question decided.

Mr. DE VALERA—I formally protest on behalf of our party. We think that the Chairman is irritable this morning.

The SPEAKER—The decision of the House has been given, and there is an end of it. Deputy Flinn has been asked to withdraw and no point of order can be raised on that, and certainly not while Deputy Flinn is present.

Mr. FLINN then withdrew from the House amidst hand-clapping from the occupants of the Fianna Fail benches.

Mr. LEMASS—What has Deputy Flinn been suspended for. There was no justification whatever for it. (Opposition cheers.) It is the majority vote again—putting men out of this House for no conceivable justification. (Renewed Opposition cheers.)

DISORDERLY SCENE.

Mr. COBURN (National League, Louth)—I wish to protest against Deputy Flinn being suspended—being put out of the House. (Opposition cheers, members of the party standing up.) There was absolutely no ground for it. (Loud cheers from the Fianna Fail benches.)

Amidst considerable disorder the Speaker could be heard crying for "Order."

Mr. HASLETT (Independent, Monaghan) shouted to Mr. Coburn, "Sit down!"

Mr. COBURN—I will sit down just when I like. No deputy in this House will make me sit down.

The SPEAKER—Will Deputy Coburn sit down?

Mr. COBURN—I must protest against this wrong decision taken here.

The SPEAKER—Deputy Coburn must sit down.

Mr. COBURN sat down.

Mr. COONEY (F.F., Dublin, N.)—The Chair let McGilligan insult a deputy here yesterday. Ministers can do what they like.

The SPEAKER—This whole question is one which may be decided if certain steps are taken——

Mr. McENTEE (F.F., Dublin County)—The decision was taken on a wrong statement made by the Chair. We heard the words "privileged attack" used, and they were distorted into "the privilege of the cat."

The SPEAKER—That may be the case, but a decision has been taken. It may be gone into on a particular occasion, but it cannot be gone into now.

Mr. LEMASS—It appears to us that there is on the part of the Chair a decided prejudice against Deputy Flinn that does not operate against others.

POSITION OF THE CHAIR.

The SPEAKER said that Deputy Flinn had taken up a certain attitude towards the Chair, and referred to a previous incident when the Deputy Speaker was in the chair, and Mr. Flinn had said that his ruling was a "damn shame." The same thing happened constantly. Neither the Speaker nor the Deputy Speaker could be carped at in the chair. They were in a different position from the ministers. A minister was fair game, and members could attack ministers almost to any degree; but it was not in order to adopt the same attitude towards the Chair. He disliked discussing this matter in the absence of Deputy Flinn. They might be able to get this whole matter settled by the following Wednesday. If he (the Speaker) was wrong in his view of Deputy Flinn's attitude to the Chair, he would be the first person to acknowledge the mistake. There were 152 members and himself in that House, and 151 were able to agree with the occupant of the chair. He would be very glad, indeed, to be undeceived if he was mistaken, and very glad to start along a new line.

Things could not be settled by disorder in the House, and, as far as he was concerned, he would be prepared to discuss the matter either with the Committee on Procedure Privileges or with responsible leaders of the Opposition Party. From the point of view of any deputy who might succeed him in the chair, he regarded it as his bounden duty to see that a proper attitude was maintained by all deputies towards the person who was in the chair. If there had been a mistake it might be solved, but it could not be solved at that moment.

"OBVIOUS MISUNDERSTANDING."

Mr. LEMASS—In view of the fact that there was on the part of the Chair an obvious misunderstanding as to the words used by Deputy Flinn, and in view also of the fact that deputies did not know for what Deputy Flinn was removed, and that his attitude was no more disorderly than that of other deputies on other occasions, will you take a motion to rescind the decision of the House?

The SPEAKER—I will not.

Mr. DE VALERA said that, to his mind, the statement, "The cat has come back," did not mean any insult to the Chair, but that the Speaker was stricter than other people who occupied the chair.

Mr. BRISCOE (F.F., Dublin) said that he had heard Deputy Flinn use the words, "Privileged attack," and had had his hearing confirmed by Deputy Flinn since. He asked the Speaker if he still thought that Deputy Flinn had used the words, the "privilege of the cat."

The SPEAKER—I will accept Deputy Flinn's word at once for anything he said, and I accept Deputy Briscoe's statement now.

President COSGRAVE said that Standing Orders did not permit review of a case in which a decision of the House had been taken. The Standing Orders were such that they exalted the occupant of the Chair to a very important and privileged position, and he thought that there was general agreement amongst all parties and all people on that. If there were disagreements as to the decisions of the Chair they could be settled, but certainly not in the heated atmosphere in which they occurred. If there had been a misconception, or any incident which should be taken into account, that was not the time for it. He suggested that the matter should now be allowed to drop.

Mr. O'KELLY (F.F., Dublin, North) said that the attitude of Deputy Flinn on the present occasion was not one which would tend to show disrespect to the Chair, and it was not intended as such. He believed that the Speaker had misunderstood Deputy Flinn, and that a palpable injustice had been done. He suggested that the injustice should be undone as rapidly as it had been done.

TO BE CONTINUED.

The SPEAKER said that the matter could not be reviewed then. If there was any misunderstanding he would be the first to admit it. It could be raised again on Wednesday, but not at the moment.

Mr. McGILLIGAN, resuming the debate on the Appropriation Bill, said that Deputy Lemass had spoken about the rush of legislation. He would remind the Deputy that the useful activities of a Department could not be measured by a plethora of legislation, or even by the absence of legislation. As to a reference regarding the utilisation of Irish slates in Dublin housing schemes, the Minister said that the Dublin City Commissioners were always willing to change their specifications in favour of Irish manufacture.

Referring to the closing of some small brickyards, he pointed out that certain people had come over and investigatedt he possibility of establishing a modern brickyard. It was then discovered that the smallest economic unit of production was one producing fourteen million bricks in the year, and the consumption of bricks in this country hardly amounted to that. If there was an obligation on people building to usa Irish bricks he feared that it would increase the cost of building.

RUMOU RAND MR. DE VALERA.

They were still wondering, added the Minister, why Deputy de Valera had given publicity in that House to rumours which had been circulated about him in America. He could not imagine how the deputy could be justified in making allusion to unsavoury statements made in the U.S.A.

Mr. DE VALERA said that it was plain that the Minister had not read the context of his speech.

Mr. McGILLIGAN—Then they were made here? I never heard of them.

Mr. MOORE (F.F., Wexford)—Does the Minister recall a reference by the ex-Governor-General in the Shelbourne Hotel, and would he consider that unsavoury?

Mr. McGILLIGAN said that would be widening the scope of the subject. He did not think that the matter should have been mentioned in that House by Deputy de Valera.

Mr. DE VALERA—If the matter should never have been mentioned, what is the necessity of bringing it up now?

Mr. LITTLE (F.F., Waterford)—Does the Minister forget that a statement alleged to have been made by Mr. Aiken in America was referred to by the Minister for Agriculture?

Mr. McGILLIGAN—It was not the promulgation of a rumour. The Minister for Agriculture read an extract from a speech.

Mr. DE VALERA—Will the Minister read my speech?

Mr. McGILLIGAN—There is a very clear distinction between rumours and what the Minister for Agriculture read from a speech.

"A MEAN ACTION."

Mr. DE VALERA—There was a mean action by the Minister for Agriculture in suggesting that Deputy Aiken in the United States was telling cock-and-bull stories to the American people. On that I brought in the question of truth, and that probably the reason why Deputy Aiken mentioned this matter was about rumours at election times.

Mr. McGILLIGAN—I fail to see the connection yet. The Minister for Agriculture quoted from a newspaper report, and not his imagination. But I will leave the matter where it is and the House to wonder why particular rumours were introduced.

On a division the second reading of the bill was passed by 80 votes to 53—only the Fianna Fáil members voting against it.

The bill was then put through its remaining stages, and, on the motion that it finally pass,

President COSGRAVE said that it was not due to discourtesy that the Ministers had not dealt in detail with the points raised by the Opposition during the debate on the second reading. Over one hundred hours had been devoted towards discussing the estimates, which this bill simply appropriated, and it was unreasonable, in his view, after that detailed discussion, to raise points on this bill, such as why somebody did not get a pension, or some other minor details.

WASTING TIME.

Mr. MacENTEE (F.F., Dublin County) said that it was largely owing to the fact that the Minister for Industry and Commerce refused to speak the previous day when asked by Fianna Fáil that the incident of that morning had occurred. Owing to the Minister's refusal to speak, Fianna Fáil members held that the Minister was making use of his privilege of concluding the debate to make statements to which they could not reply.

President COSGRAVE said that it appeared to him that many of the points raised were merely out to score debating points off men holding the responsible positions of Ministers.

On a division the final reading was carried by 78 votes to 53.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

SUPERANNUATION BILL PASSED.

President COSGRAVE moved the money resolution providing that, for the formulating and carrying out of schemes for the provision of pensions and gratuities for, or in respect of, teachers and certain former teachers, it was expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys to be provided by the Oireachtas of (a) payments into the Pension Fund set up for the purposes of any superannuation scheme under such Act, and (b) any expenses incurred in carrying such Act into effect.

The MINISTER FOR EDUCATION said that it was impossible to give an indication of the amount, because the bill would cover all classes of teachers.

Mr. FAHY (F.F., Galway), speaking in Irish, said that he was glad to hear that the bill would cover all classes of teachers, and he hoped that consideration would be given to the old teachers who went out under the old scheme, and that in the case of inspectors, when their pensions would be calculated, they would get credit for the period they spent as teachers.

The motion was passed.

AMENDMENTS TO BILL.

On the Committee stage of the Teachers' Superannuation Bill a number of amendments by the Minister for Education were adopted. One of them provides that the word "teacher" includes a person who was a secondary teacher on the 1st January, 1927, and ceased to be such a teacher after that date and before the passing of this Act, and also a person formerly a teacher who while a teacher was appointed to a Civil Service post, and at the passing of this Act held that post.

The bill passed through Committee.

Standing Orders were suspended and the bill finally passed.

COURTS OF JUSTICE (NO. 2) BILL.

Mr. FITZGERALD KENNEY, Minister for Justice, moved the second reading of the Courts of Justice (No. 2) Bill, 1928. The purpose of this bill is to validate certain judgments marked in the office in undefended actions up to the 18th October, 1928, which procedure was taken away by the new Rules.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE (Fianna Fail, Mayo, North) welcomed the bill, but complained of the delay in introducing it. There was considered hardship over the confusion that arose, and it was an extraordinary thing that the judges of the High Court approved the Rules and permitted the interpretation placed on them. There was, he thought, even yet considerable doubt as to whether under this bill it would be safe to enter up judgment. Difficulties also existed by reason of having no Circuit Court Rules. The Master's jurisdiction should be clearly defined, and it would also be of advantage if that jurisdiction were extended. He suggested that the time was opportune when the whole working of the High Court Rules should be considered. They had resulted in considerable confusion and hardship. Some 2,000 judgments were affected by that bill.

Mr. FITZGERALD-KENNEY said that the bill had been brought in to deal with a particular emergency owing to mistakes which had been made in marking judgments. He was satisfied that the rule-making authority would deal with the question and would go back to the old procedure.

The second reading was agreed to and the House adjourned until Wednesday next at 3 p.m.

DUBLIN HOTEL FIRE.

LITTLE DAMAGE DONE.

There was an outbreak of fire at the Globe Hotel, Talbot street, Dublin, yesterday evening, and traffic in the narrow thoroughfare was seriously impeded. The Fire Brigade, under Lieutenant Connolly, was promptly in attendance, and succeeded in confining the fire to a section of the top storey.

The damage was not very extensive.

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Alleging that his fingers were injured while moving a piano at the Tockholes Church School at the request of a teacher, Harry Taylor (13), Chapels Farm, Tockholes, near Darwen, was awarded £200 by the jury at Manchester Assizes yesterday.

IDEALISM IN LIFE AND LITERATURE.

ADDRESS AT UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

INSPIRATIONS FOR IRISHMEN.

"Idealism in Literature and Life" was the subject chosen by Mr. T. A. Rourke, the Auditor, for his address at the inaugural meeting of the seventy-third session of University College (Dublin) Literary and Historical Society last night. Dr. Coffey, President of the College, occupied the chair.

Idealism in life, the speaker held, gave us idealism in literature, and that idealism in literature was the foundation of further idealism in life. The Christian ideal was truly the most permanent and most forceful in the true civilisation of all time, and it was here that some of the greatest ideals in literature had found their inspiration and strength.

Mr. Justice Creed Meredith, Mr. FitzGerald-Kenney (Minister for Justice), Professor A. E. Clery, and Mr. T. Bodkin spoke on the address.

The real basis of the ideal in life, said Mr. Rourke, was love—a love that did not arise from the natural law, such as the love of a mother for her child, but a love that was not bound by definitely human ties; a love that was founded on sympathy, a sympathy that was founded on their creation from the God of Sympathy and of Love.

The speaker endeavoured to show the connection between idealism in literature and idealism in life. Idealism in life gave them idealism in literature, and that idealism in literature was the foundation and inspiration of further idealism in life.

Through literature they sensed the idealism of Plato, they lived in the sunlit islands and purple seas of Homer, and groped through the dark inferno of Dante; they had travelled with Milton through his Eden, with Shakespeare in an Elizabethan England, with men and women more finely real than the people of the England of Elizabeth. We had imbibed their ideals; they were our mental food. They were an inward force that led us higher.

IMAGINATION'S PART.

In creative literature, which in itself was an ideal literature, the part played by the imagination was twofold. There was first the working of the imagination in the mind of the poet. In the second case there was a characteristic power possessed by creative literature to appeal to the imagination of the reader. The artist must find his materials in the world of reality and reproduce them in changed form; he reproduced in his work an "idea" of the reality. He idealised his subject, and his idealisation was, therefore, the unconscious criticism of nature by the human mind, and was in itself an idealised reality. Art could be more pathetic than nature, and pathos was the sign and measure of beauty of the highest class. Of all the Arts, creative literature lent itself more to the idealisation process than any other.

The interpretation of science appealed merely to a limited faculty, and not to the whole emotions and ideas of the human mind. There must be present in literature of the ideal a solid foundation of truth. The ideas contained in literature must be in harmony with the best traditions of the human race, and although creative literature often drew its inspiration from religion and patriotism, it could not be identified with either.

THE CHRISTIAN IDEAL.

If they considered carefully the works of the master-mind of creative literature it would be found that they described more the effects of the ideal on men and things than the ideal itself. Perhaps they would expect too much of these writers to expect that they would be capable of describing the abstract, and yet how near to a description of the ideal itself did Dante come in his delineation of the Blessed Virgin.

In the consideration solely of literature they found that the predominant principle of idealism found its expression in the doctrine of poetic justice. The Christian ideal was truly the most permanent and most forceful in the true civilisation of all time. Its very foundations were built on pure idealism. It was here that some of the greatest ideals in literature had found their inspiration and strength.

Professor A. E. Clery, in proposing a vote of thanks to the Auditor, said that the whole trend of modern literature and art was against the Auditor's views on idealism. The Auditor was a young man, but he was right. He had adopted the views of the great men of the past. Two ideals which the Auditor had advanced, and which they should always have before them were religion and patriotism. The real things of life came from devotion to those two ideals, and when joined together those two ideals enabled Irishmen to do the things they had done. (Applause.)

Mr. FitzGeral-Kenney, Minister for Justice, in seconding the motion, said that the address showed great literary skill. He thought it was a very good thing for everyone to look within and examine themselves. Each should ask himself what his ideals were and how far he had been realising them. The paper read by the Auditor was provocative of such thoughts. When talking about idealism, they had to be very careful, because they had the true, valuable, and helpful idealism; and, on the other hand, they had a false idealism, which did not help. He thought the idealism of the young men of that and other similar societies was a matter of the first importance, as it was to such young people that the present generation had to look for its successors, and if its successors were men who would follow a high ideal, then the present generation could hand down its cares to them with confidence. (Applause.)

The vote was passed with applause.

REALISM AND IDEALISM.

Mr. Justice Creed Meredith, in proposing that the Society was worthy of support, said that the best way to explain what was meant by realism and idealism was to explain what realists and idealists thought of each other. A realist regarded the distinction between realism and idealism as only another impression of the contrast between life and fiction, poetry, and dreaming. The realist imagined that an idealist had a rooted contempt for facts, that he was utterly unpractical, and that, if one probed him deep enough, one will find that, in his hearts of hearts, he believed that only the non-existent really existed.

In the case of realism and idealism he himself was an idealist in life, but a realist in fiction. This did not mean ignoring or distorting the facts. It meant having that unswerving assurance in the truth that gave the courage to face facts squarely. Argue with an idealist on any of these questions: "Is there a national and international right or wrong?" or "Can a law be unjust?" or "Has a minority any rights?" or "Is democracy a failure?"—and they would soon see if the idealist's philosophising was remote from the realities of life. Why, he was a man who was absolutely convinced that a big principle was at stake at every turn. (Applause.)

Mr. T. Bodkin, D.Litt., in seconding the motion, said that the Auditor had left some doubt as to what really was idealistic literature. Some of the most effective literary idealists had been those who selected for themes depraved or ignoble characters set in a harsh or squalid environment. Their treatment of such themes might be realistic and yet testify to the loftiest ideals of charity and pity.

Once they were agreed as to what was idealism in literature, they would have no difficulty in agreeing that idealism was essential for great literature. He was rather afraid of ideals. Outside the sphere of religion there were some great ideals which should not be handled except by very great men. In the hands of the inefficient such ideals were as dangerous as dynamite.

The motion was passed.

MEDALS FOR ORATORY.

Dr. Coffey presented the following awards:

President's Gold Medal for Oratory—John J. Nash, B.A., LL.B., ex-Auditor.

Society's Silver Medal for Oratory—Michael Farrell.

Society's Medal for Impromptu Oratory—T. A. O'Rourke, B.Com., Auditor; Brian O Broichain.

President's Gold Medal for First Year Speakers—W. P. Fay.

The attendance included the Chief Justice and Mrs. Kennedy, the German Consul-General, the Swedish Consul-General, the Belgian Consul-General, Professor George O'Brien, Professor E. P. McLaughlin, Professor Sheridan, Professor B. F. Shields, Judge O'Brien, Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C.; Mr. Frank Fahy, T.D.; District Justice Sheehy, Professor O'Donovan, Mr. J. A. Costelloe, Attorney-General; Professor O'Sullivan, Minister for Education, etc.

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The following Committee had charge of the arrangements, which made the evening such a success:—Mr. J. Cosgrove (chairman), Miss A. McA. Smith (hon. secretary), Miss Roberts (hon. treasurer), the Misses K. Moran, H. Dalby, A. Kelly, F. Keable and L. Moore; and Messrs. A. Gibney, H. Blennerhassett, T Croly and E. Ryan.

The gathering also included:—Mr. G. C. Avison (managing director), Mrs. Avison, Mr. J. G. Moore (director), Mr. W. F. Hanna (director and secretary), Mrs. F. Switzer, Miss L. Switzer and partner, Mr. J. Smith, Mr. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor, Mr. C. Woakes and party, Mr. S. Sheridan and party, Mr. Tom Rogers and party, Mrs. O'Kelly and party, Mr. David Watson and party, Miss H. Dalby and party, Mr. A. Craford and party, Mr. Kenrick and party, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones, Mr. J. Wilde and party, Mr. P. J. Vaughan and party, Miss Sweeney and party, Mr. Dunphy, Mr. A. Jackson and party, Miss A. Kiernan and party, Mr. R. Redmond and party, Mr. C. Dickson, Miss Findlay and party, Mr. J. Rodgers, Miss B. Donaghy, Mr. G. Barry and party, Mr. Harry Lauder, Miss K. Antisell, Mr. J. Miller and party, Misses E. and N. Lea, Mr. W. Batey and party, Mr. T. Johnson and party, Mr. Mulderry and party, Miss V. Davey, Miss P. Power, Mr. R. Power, Mr. Slowey and party

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Pursuant to the Articles of Association, a GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS AND SUBSCRIBERS will be held at this HOSPITAL on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4th, 1928, at the hour of 5 o'clock p.m., for the Election of the Board of Governors for one year under Clause 11; also to elect an Auditor, to receive Auditor's Report and General Statement for past year, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward.
GEORGE P. MOORE,
Hon. Secretary.

FOR OTHER PUBLIC AND CHURCH NOTICES, SEE PAGE 5.

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1928.

The French Budget.

Despite the gloomy predictions of his critics, M. Poincaré seems to be making a success of his fifth Ministry. He has sacrificed the active co-operation of the Radical-Socialists, who are fairly strong in the Chamber; but they realise that the defeat of the Government would be a serious danger for France, and, although they may not support it, they at least will refrain from active hostility to it. In these circumstances there is little doubt that M. Poincaré will secure the passage of the 1929 Budget before Christmas. He has retired from the Finance Ministry, which is occupied now by M. Chéron, a former *rapporteur;* but he will continue to be mainly responsible for financial policy, leaving M. Chéron to administer the Department. The Budget will be balanced at about 45,225,000,000 francs, or less than £400,000,000—a figure which represents about half the size of the British Budget. M. Poincaré's financial policy during the last two years has been a brilliant success. He has restored French finance to a completely normal condition. His stabilisation of the franc at roughly one-fifth of its pre-war gold value has improved the economy of the Republic almost beyond recognition, and the new Budget will mark an important milestone on the road to financial recovery. It really is more than a Budget; for it contains important clauses relating to naval and military affairs, as well as the famous clauses about Church property which brought about the fall of M. Poincaré's last Ministry. These clauses have been modified, however, to meet the criticisms of the anti-clerical party.

Both the military and the naval estimates are greater than those of last year, although the period of compulsory service has been shortened. The Radical-Socialists are opposed to this increased disbursement on the fighting forces, and M. Malvy already has crossed swords with the Premier on the subject. The most important of the new estimates, however, is that which provides for funds for purposes of aviation. France now has a separate Air Department, which is being organised with much zeal. Her General Staff, apparently, has reached the conclusion that aerial defence must be developed, and a huge air fleet is being constructed. For purposes of research alone, the Air Budget makes provision for credits to the extent of 120,000,000 francs, as well as for 150,000,000 francs by way of loans. Subsidies to the amount of 170,000,000 francs are being given to civil aviation. France has the largest military air force in the world, and she is increasing and improving it every day. Her civil flying services cannot yet compare with those of Germany, but they are being reorganised, and within the next twelve months substantial improvements will be made. It is a significant fact that the Socialists are supporting the Government's air programme. One of their number, Deputy Renaudel, has consented to act as *rapporteur* for the air estimates. There is virtually no opposition to the proposal to extend the Republic's flying forces; for when the "security" of France is brought into question all Frenchmen are united.

The attitude of the Radical-Socialists towards the new Government virtually ensures its existence until the Budget has been passed safely through Parliament. Nobody knows what will happen then. Politics in France have undergone a welcome change since 1926. Formerly politicians cared little about financial or economic considerations. Time after time Governments were wrecked by political intrigue at moments when attempts were being made to stabilise the currency; and it was not until the headlong fall of the franc to the price of a penny gave even the most rabid politician a serious fright that a more sober frame of mind began to manifest itself. Now every member of the French Parliament has one eye on the Money Market. The lesson of July, 1926, has been taken to heart. M. Poincaré's task has not yet been finished; for he has devoted the last two and a half years to foundation-laying. The super-structure of economic prosperity remains to be built. When the 1929 Budget has been passed this work can begin in earnest, and, unless some unforeseen crisis arises in the meanwhile, there seems to be no reason why the present Government should not stay in office for at least another year. If M. Poincaré succeeds in his attempt to obtain some £832,000,000 from Germany in final settlement of her reparations claims, his title to the Premiership will be unchallenged. In order to attain this end, however, he must make arrangements for the refunding of the French debt to the United States. The Mellon-Bérenger agreement has not yet been ratified, and until this omission has been made good the Washington Government never will approve of the proposal to mobilise Germany's bonds.

Back to the Land.

Signor Mussolini has turned his masterful mind to Italy's housing problem. In Italy—as in all civilised lands, including Ireland—the towns are increasing at the countryside's expense. The efforts of urban authorities to keep pace with the demand for new houses are heart-breaking and futile, because the growth of such houses is exceeded always by the size of the rural influx. Indeed, the mere expenditure on housing attracts country-dwellers to the industrial cities. In an article in his journal, the *Popolo d'Italia*, of Milan, Signor Mussolini declares that this vicious circle must be broken without further delay. He says that the housing problem will remain unsolved so long as the State admits "a sort of natural right for every country jake to have a house in a town." In the first six months of this year the natural increase of Italy's urban population was only 12,000, but the increase by rural influx in eight towns alone was 68,621. The milliards of lire which are being spent on the housing of these invaders represent so much "petrified" money: they could be spent with larger profit on the encouragement of agriculture. For the Dictator conviction and decision are simultaneous, and his remedy is simple. He gives notice of his intention "to compel without mercy the surplus inhabitants of towns to return to the country." Within the next eighteen months all such persons, who have not found work in the towns, will be "cleared out," and further immigration from the country to the towns will be prohibited. On June 30th, 1930, landlords in towns will be relieved of all contractual obligations to this class of "surplus" tenant. If coercion is necessary, says the *Duce*, it must be applied; and he has empowered all officials throughout the Kingdom—in which category he includes journalists and school teachers—to apply coercion. It seems that the period of eighteen months' grace is illusory; for the ardent officials already are at work. In the towns the Fascists are compiling lists of "superfluous" residents, who will be "invited" to return forthwith to their villages. One of the incidents in Artemus Ward's famous panorama of Vesuvius was described as "Napler making tracks"; and now—since Naples is among the most congested cities—hundreds of perturbed "Naplers" will be making tracks for the open fields. In the country districts, where the Fascists are guarding the railway stations, the peasant who tries to take a train for the nearest town will be a brave man. Thus promptly and effectively is Signor Mussolini solving a problem which is an increasing perplexity for less resolute Governments. Perhaps, the Free State Government will decide to follow his example. Such a decree would be a quite logical development of its present policy of compulsion, and the resultant saving would endow new embassies in Patagonia and Siam.

The Storm.

The storm which swept over these islands yesterday, unlike its forerunner, lashed Ireland equally with England. Slates flew and glass was shattered in Belfast; tree limbs littered the roads of the Dublin suburbs; near Naas a boy was killed; Cork suffered the full fury of wind from the sea. In County Tyrone farming lands were flooded. Around the coast ships were in distress, and lifeboats were called out to make heroic searches. Liners were late in reaching port, and the mail boat from Holyhead made Kingstown two hours after her due time. Across the Channel the wind cried "havoc!" In Manchester roofs were torn from buildings, and the gable-end of a house was thrown down. Across the Scottish border railway trains were brought to a standstill. In Hull a little girl was killed by a falling chimney-stack. Rivers overflowed in Wales; cattle and sheep were rescued with the greatest difficulty, and towns were isolated. Around the English coast watchers keep vigil; for ships are late in reaching port; some are reported in peril, and *débris* that has come ashore hints at unreported calamities. This winter seems to promise a repetition of last winter's record of exceptionally violent weather. Last week a passenger steamer took eleven hours to cross the narrow channel between Folkestone and Boulogne. Man's boasts of the conquest of Nature are mocked in days like these, when a Vestris founders and it is perilous to walk in city streets. Yesterday Ireland was cut off for some hours from telegraphic communication with the outer world. Messages telegraphed from London early in the afternoon reached Dublin late at night. For twenty years the appeal has been made that interruptions like this shall be prevented by the substitution of a subterranean for an overhead telegraph service along the north coast of Wales. Year after year storms tear down the present lines, and more money probably is spent in a few years on repairs than would suffice to render repairs unnecessary. Yesterday, for more than one reason, Irish people were anxious for prompt telegraphic tidings from across the Channel.

History on the Film.

A treasure has been saved for the British nation. During Captain Scott's historic expeditions in the South Polar regions cinematograph pictures were made recording the adventures of the explorers. The film which preserves that wonderful record was offered, some years ago, to the British Museum as a gift. It was refused. Two years ago a body called the British Empire Film Institute was formed for the purpose of fostering cinematographic enterprise in British territories and preserving films of historic interest. It is announced that an anonymous donor has purchased the Scott film and has presented it to the Institute. The pictorial record of one of the most famous of British expeditions thus is secured for the people of England How great a gain this is hardly can be realised by the present generation; it is the people of to-morrow who will see that cinematographic picture moving on the screen and will be thrilled. What would not our generation give to see a film which should depict Stanley's journey into darkest Africa and that historic meeting with the "sub-title," "Dr. Livingstone, I presume?" How would not our age value a few "reels" in supplement to Hakluyt's "Principal Navigations, Voyages and Discoveries of the English Nation?" Drake would spring to the eye—just such a figure of curt, swift manner as may be seen on the bridge of many a coal-black tramp steamer to-day. Doughty would be there, elegant but subtle. The trial of the traitor, the feast of judge and prisoner together ere the sentence was executed, and, lastly, Drake's slaying of his false friend with his own sword on that tropical coast—these events would eclipse the wonders of Hollywood's inventive skill; yet they would be pure history.

REPARATIONS.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR SEES M. BRIAND.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Friday.

Dr. Von Hoesch, the German Ambassador in Paris, saw M. Briand this morning, and M. Poincaré in the afternoon. He handed in the German reply to the Reparations Memorandum, thus making a similar *démarche* to that of Dr. Stahmer, the German Ambassador in London.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Queen, Princess Arthur of Connaught and Princess Helena Victoria were among the visitors at the Fjaestad exhibition of Swedish paintings in the Grieves Gallery. Her Majesty also visited the exhibition of the works of Mr. William Milner and Miss Doris Pusinelli, now open in the Arlington Gallery. The Queen purchased a painting by Mr. Milner, who is her godson.

The Dowager Marchioness of Milford Haven will open a bazaar next Thursday in the Queen's Gate Hall, South Kensington, in aid of the Russian Red Cross (old organisation), at which many well-known people will assist.

The Earl of Athlone, Princess Alice and Lady May Cambridge left Kensington Palace yesterday for Southampton, where they embarked on the s.s. Edinburgh Castle, on their return to Cape Town.

The United States Ambassador and Mrs. Haughton have returned to London from America. The Marchioness of Headfort has arrived in London from Headfort House, Kells. The Marquis and Marchioness of Sligo, who have been paying visits in the country, have returned to London. The Duke of Marlborough, the Earl of Plymouth, Sir Coleridge and Lady Kennard, Elizabeth Lady Cheylesmore and Sir Burton Chadwick are among the latest arrivals in London.

The Marchioness of Carisbrooke and the Marchioness of Londonderry will be present at the May Fair Hotel next Friday, when the fashion and jewel parade arranged by Lady Cunard in aid of the League of Opera will take place.

The Earl of Kilmorey has returned to Mourne Park from Rossmore Park, where he had been staying with Lord and Lady Rossmore. The Knight of Kerry and Lady Mildred Fitzgerald, who have been touring in South America, will return to England next week. Lord Hampton has arrived at Kingstown from London.

The Marchioness of Anglesey has arrived in London from Plas Newydd. Viscount and Viscountess FitzAlan of Derwent have returned to London for the winter. Earl and Countess Cadogan have left Culford Hall, Bury St. Edmunds, and are now in London. Major-General Sir Desmond O'Callaghan has arrived in London from Malta.

The Primate of All Ireland and Mrs. D'Arcy have returned to Armagh from Dublin, where they had been staying for a few days.

Lady Dorothéa Ashley-Cooper, the Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury's second daughter, is laid up with an attack of chicken-pox, and will be unable to act as bridesmaid at the wedding of her sister, Lady Mary Ashley-Cooper, and Lord Alington next Tuesday.

The marriage will shortly take place between Barra O Briain, Barrister-at-Law, eldest son of Doctor and Mrs. O Briain, Merrion square, Dublin, and Anna, daughter of the late Maurice P. Flood, Terenure, and Mrs. Flood, Olney, Terenure, Co. Dublin.

The marriage arranged between Mr. David K. Glasgow and Miss Terry O'Connor will take place quietly on December 5th.

Ladies' Work Dépôt, 20 Dawson street (Irish Distressed Ladies' Fund)—Lady Moore and the members of the Committee will hold the Christmas Sale of Work on Thursday, December 6th, from 2 o'clock, at the Shelbourne Hotel. Flowers, Cakes, etc., will also be on sale. They ask the cordial support of all those interested in this most deserving cause.

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Evening Gowns—McBirneys have been fortunate in securing an important stock of High-class Evening and Semi-Evening Gowns at a discount of 75 per cent. These are all goods of the very newest fashion, and are made by a house of world-wide fame. McBirneys are offering these for sale this week at prices less than the cost of production, and such an opportunity should not be missed.—Aston's quay, Dublin.

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THE PROTESTANT ORPHAN SOCIETY.

LETTER FROM THE ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Will you allow me to draw attention to the centenary of the Protestant Orphan Society, the occurrence of which will be marked by a public meeting in the Diocesan Hall on Thursday next? It would be difficult to overstate the practical usefulness of the work of the Society during the past hundred years. Nearly 5,500 orphans have been recipients of its benefits; in other words, it has been an important agent in holding together the home life and in protecting the orphaned children of some 2,000 to 3,000 stricken families through years of otherwise unbearable strain.

I hope not only that the public meeting on November 28th will be well attended, but also that the centenary will be made the occasion of special gifts from friends of the Society, and particularly from beneficiaries of past days who recognise that they owe to the Society much of such prosperity as they enjoy to-day.—Yours, etc.,

JOHN DUBLIN

The Palace, Shrewsbury road, Dublin,
November 23rd, 1928.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Dublin Scouts' Association—Theatre Royal, 2.45.
Leinster Society of Organists—R.I.A. Music, 7.45.
Schubert Centenary Concert, Rathmines Town Hall, 8 p.m.
Rugby Gala Dance, Metropole.
Exhibition of Chrysanthemums, The Moorings, Merrion road, 3 p.m.
Exhibition of Paintings—Mills' Hall.
Gaiety Theatre—To-day: "Carmen." To-night: "Il Trovatore."
Theatre Royal—Varieties.
Olympia Theatre—"Family Affairs."
Abbey Theatre—"The Big House."
Dublin Gate Theatre—"Diarmuid and Grainne."
Capitol—"Something Always Happens," "The Pioneer Scout," and Varieties.
Plaza

LINERS HELD UP BY GREAT GALE.

TRAINS DELAYED.

WORST STORM FOR MANY YEARS IN GREAT BRITAIN.

WIDESPREAD HAVOC.

A great gale—the wind in places reaching a velocity of nearly 100 miles an hour—swept Great Britain and Ireland yesterday, causing widespread damage and a number of deaths.

Liners were held up at Liverpool and Southampton, railway lines were blocked by falling trees and telegraph wires, and considerable areas were flooded as the result of the torrential rain, which caused rivers to overflow.

WORSE THAN A WEEK AGO.

The storm was even more severe than that of the previous Friday. Full hurricane force was reached in the districts bordering on the Irish Sea. Heavy rain fell in most regions, the fall amounting to more than an inch in parts of Scotland, where snow appeared locally on high ground. Over most of England the day was abnormally warm, the temperature rising to nearly sixty degrees in some places, though the sun nowhere shone for more than an hour.

According to late reports, Liverpool had the worst of the gale. At that place there were gusts of wind with a velocity of 88 miles an hour.

ANOTHER CYCLONE ON THE WAY.

The Air Ministry reported that the wind velocity in London reached its highest point at Croydon, with 65 miles per hour at midday. The storm, which started at Plymouth at 7 a.m., quickly spread throughout the country, and the gust velocity reported elsewhere showed that at Aldergrove it reached 84, Holyhead 77, Liverpool 76, Chester 74, Scilly Isles 72, Calshot 66, Birmingham 64, Lympne 62, Winchester 61, Cranwell 58, and Farnborough 55.5. The barometric pressure in Edinburgh, 28.11 inches, was the lowest recorded since 1894.

Wireless reports from liners indicate another large cyclone out on the Atlantic, and this is expected to cross Britain to-morrow, bringing a return of gales, heavy rain and unseasonable warmth.

COMMUNICATIONS CUT.

DUBLIN'S EXPERIENCE.

Dublin experienced the worst force of the gale at about midday yesterday, when it was estimated that some of the gusts attained a velocity of 60 miles an hour at the least. During the morning the velocity was from 45 to 55 miles an hour.

Between nine o'clock on Thursday night and nine o'clock yesterday morning the barometer fell seven-tenths of an inch, and continued to fall until midday yesterday, after which it began to rise steadily.

At 9 a.m. yesterday the temperature was 55 degrees, or 10 degrees higher than on the previous day.

In the city and the adjoining townships the usual harvest of slates, hoardings, swinging signs and windows was reaped by the gale.

The inevitable breakdown of telegraphic and telephonic communications occurred. All the direct lines from Dublin were out of action, and communication with London was maintained over a single wire through Waterford. Heavy delays were caused, the lines being affected in both directions.

All the lines to Belfast were down, and no connection could be established throughout the day. The service between Dublin and the South of Ireland generally was also affected.

MINOR ACCIDENTS.

A number of minor accidents in the city were reported, including the following:—

Michael Tyrell, Townsend street—knee injuries, caused by a slate.

Alexander Wallis, 65 Rathmines road—injuries caused by a slate.

Mary Molloy (30), Grenville place—severe cut on forehead, sustained when knocked down by the gale.

Patrick McDonagh, Marlborough street—scalp wound, caused by a falling slate.

A cart, loaded with straw, was blown over at Dolphin's Barn. The horse was seriously injured.

MAIL BOAT DELAYED.

Owing to the gale and the heavy seas running, the mail boat from Holyhead to Kingstown arrived over two hours late. A very rough passage was reported.

The night mail boat was a quarter of an hour late leaving Kingstown.

MANY INJURED IN BELFAST.

MAN BLOWN UNDER A TRAMCAR.

Much damage was done to property in Belfast and country districts, and more than twenty persons were treated in the Belfast hospitals for injuries due to falling slates, etc.

The gauge at the Belfast Harbour Office gave the speed of the wind at 70 miles.

At the corner of North street and Royal avenue a man was blown under a tramcar, which fortunately stopped before hitting him.

At the County Courthouse, Belfast, when Lord Justice Best was delivering judgment in the Chancery Division, there was an alarming crash of breaking glass, and a window pane, almost two feet square, was blown into the courtroom, the fragments falling alongside the table at which counsel sat after passing over the head of a gentleman who occupied a seat near the window.

One of the worst features of the storm was the wholesale havoc amongst telegraph wires. Belfast was almost completely isolated from telegraphic and telephonic communication during the evening with Dublin, London, Manchester and Glasgow. A notice in the Belfast Telegraph office read: "We are stopped to everywhere."

FLOOD HAVOC.

FARMERS ON HORSEBACK SAVE CATTLE.

Tributaries of the Clyde overflowed, and large tracts of country were inundated. The railway lines which skirt the Clyde were involved, and serious flooding occurred on the L.N.E.R. route to Helensburgh and the West Highland, near Bowling. Several Dumbarton streets and roads lower down the Clyde were under water. In a low-lying part of Port Glasgow there was six feet of water in several streets, and 'buses were stranded in miniature lakes.

The River Severn overflowed, and several farms in the Melverley district of Shropshire, where the River Vyrnwy joins the Severn, were cut off, great tracts of land being inundated.

The Rivers Dee and Alwen overflowed their banks near Corwen (Merioneth), and fields for many miles were turned into lakes. Farmers on horseback dashed through floods to save cattle and sheep. Corwen was almost isolated by the floods.

CROSS-CHANNEL SERVICES.

OSTEND AND BOULOGNE BOATS STOPPED.

The gale in the Channel was so severe that the Ostend-Dover services were cancelled. The Southern Railway Company also stopped the sailing of the Channel steamer which was due to leave Boulogne for Folkestone at 7.15 p.m.

LINERS DELAYED AT SOUTHAMPTON.

MAJESTIC LATE IN BERTHING.

For the second Friday in succession a strong gale interfered with shipping traffic at Southampton.

The Remuera for New Zealand, the Edinburgh Castle for the Cape, and the Tuscania for New York, were some hours late in leaving, and the Majestic from New York was late in berthing.

TELEPHONES DOWN.

200 TRUNK LINES AFFECTED.

An official of the London telephone service informed a Press Association reporter last night that about two hundred trunk lines had been affected, including those to Ireland.

Eight hundred local and sixty trunk telephone wires were put out of order in Leeds, and there was no communication with Carlisle and a number of other Northern towns.

IRISHWOMAN KILLED AT LIVERPOOL.

OUTGOING STEAMERS HELD UP.

Two people were killed at Liverpool, where a gale, blowing at from 60 to 70 miles an hour, was experienced all day. Dozens of people were treated in hospital for minor injuries received through falling tree branches and slates.

A middle-aged woman, Miss Bridget McGrath, a native of Fannington, Piltown, Co. Kilkenny, employed as a cook in Allerton, Liverpool, was out shopping, when a tree snapped off, fell on her, and pinned her to the ground. Her body was crushed and both legs broken, and she died before she could be got to the ambulance.

George Clayton, of Mansfield street, Liverpool, a sandwichman, was walking along with boards, when a strong gust of wind drew him under the wheels of a heavy steam lorry, and he was instantly killed.

SHIPPING AFFECTED.

Shipping in the Mersey was seriously affected, a number of outgoing steamers being held up. These included the Canadian Pacific liner Montclare, which was unable to come to the landing stage to embark passengers. They had to be conveyed to the Gladstone Dock in motor cars.

Exciting scenes were witnessed on the pier head, where the full force of the gale was felt. Ferry boats on the river were tossed about like corks, and many people were seen clinging to motor cars and trams.

One man while walking was blown against a motor vehicle, and taken to hospital with head injuries.

Children, terrified by the ferocity of the wind, collected in the market hall, when a portion of the glass roof was blown in, a large piece of glass just missing a girl's head.

FERRY PASSENGERS SEASICK.

The hurricane on Merseyside increased in velocity until the tide turned last night, the port being stormbound. Tremendous seas swept in from the bay, and the ferry services to the Wirral peninsula were disorganised, the boats breaking their moorings repeatedly. Many passengers were seasick.

The full force of the gale swept up the stone canyons between the great buildings at the pier head, where pedestrians batled against the elements behind tramcars and other vehicles. Relays of taxis conveyed people the forty yards across the open square to the landing stage.

The Canadian Pacific liner Montclare could not leave dock, and will not sail until the gale abates.

STEAMER SUNK IN MID-ATLANTIC.

THIRTEEN OF CREW SAVED.

LINERS DASH TO THE RESCUE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

QUEENSTOWN, Friday.

For the past ten days a succession of severe westerly gales and heavy seas has been experienced off this coast, but up to the present very little damage has been sustained by property ashore or to shipping.

Yesterday afternoon a wireless message was received locally from the Swedish steamer Numlja advising that the German steamer Herrenwijk was in distress in latitude 54.36 North and longitude 25.41 West, and a further message from the former vessel stated that the Anchor liner Transylvania, outward bound from London for New York, was rushing at full speed to the disabled German steamer's assistance.

LINER STANDING BY.

The liner's commander later advised that his vessel was standing by, but in a further communication stated that a heavy westerly gale and huge seas rendered it impossible for any of the ship's boats to be launched to take off the crew of the sinking vessel.

Early this morning the Danish steamer Estonia wirelessed to the effect that she had saved six of the Herrenwijk's crew, but owing to the increasing wind and approaching darkness further rescue work was impossible.

Last night the Estonia's captain said that he hoped to rescue the remainder of the crew this morning.

HAZARDOUS WORK.

As soon as day broke a North-West gale, accompanied by heavy seas and squalls, rendered the rescuers' task one of a most hazardous nature.

Shortly after noon to-day yet another message was received here from the Danish steamer Estonia. In this communication the captain reported that his crew had picked up another seven men, making a total of thirteen members of the crew to be saved from the Herrenwijk. The men were in an exhausted condition and could not give their names or any facts.

Despite the mountainous seas the Estonia's crew were continuing their search of the wreck-strewn sea in the hope of picking up more survivors from the Herrenwijk.

LINERS DELAYED.

Eastbound liners due to call at this port to-day have so far not put in an appearance, and are expected several hours behind scheduled time.

The commander of the Canadian Pacific liner Matagama, Captain A. Rothwell, wirelessed the local office to-day, stating that his vessel was encountering a strong Westerly gale, and did not expect to make this port before to-morrow morning. This vessel, which was due to call here about seven o'clock to-night, is bound from Antwerp, *via* Southampton, Cherbourg and Queenstown, for St. John's, New Brunswick.

The outward bound United States Line's President Roosevelt arrived at Queenstown late to-night several hours behind time. During her voyage from the Continent she encountered a strong north-westerly gale and heavy seas. She embarked over fifty passengers and a quantity of mail for Canadian and United States destinations before proceeding to New York.

HIGH, DANGEROUS SEAS.

The Anchor liner Glasgow received a wireless message last night from the captain of the Transylvania, timed 1.30 p.m., Friday, stating that the liner was proceeding on her voyage and that the Herrenwijk had sunk at 11.30 that morning, and that eleven survivors had been picked up by the Estonia.

The message added: "West-south-westerly gales. High, dangerous seas."

Sir Austen Chamberlain, the British Foreign Secretary, is a passenger on the White Star liner Regina, one of several vessels which went to the assistance of the German cargo steamer Herrenwijk, reported to be sinking in the Atlantic.

RAILWAY LINE BLOCKED.

EXPRESS'S 6 MILES IN 40 MINUTES.

Railway traffic in the Carlisle area was dislocated. The early afternoon expresses from Scotland to London passed through Carlisle on their way south nearly up to time, but the gale burst out with renewed ferocity, and trees were blown down over the railway at Beattock and at Murthat, a lonely signal box between Wamphray and Beattock. One of the trees had to be sawn away, piece by piece, before the lines could be re-opened. The Glasgow to Liverpool and Manchester express, which had been brought to a standstill, eventually arrived at Carlisle almost two and a-half hours behind time.

The Royal Scot express, which left Euston at 10 a.m. for Scotland, was forty-five minutes late at Carlisle. On the way from Lancaster it encountered the full force of the gale as a head wind, and fully forty minutes were lost in the stiff six and a-half miles' climb from Tenby to Shap summit in Westmorland, where the gradient narrows down to one in seventy-five. The fireman on the giant engine stated that it had been the toughest job in his experience.

A large pantechnicon belonging to a Liverpool firm was blown over a railway bridge near Durham, and fell forty feet down the embankment on to the main line. Traffic was stopped for some time.

LIFEBOATS OUT.

FISHING FLEET TAKEN IN TOW.

The gale sprang up suddenly in the Channel, and nearly a score of Deal fishing boats were saved from disaster by prompt aid from the Deal and Ramsgate lifeboats. The fleet was fishing in Pegwell Bay, between Deal and Ramsgate, when the gale burst upon it.

In response to distress signals the lifeboats put to sea. They had the utmost difficulty in reaching all the boats, as some of them were being carried out to sea.

After several hours of hard work the whole fleet was taken in tow by the lifeboats and brought to Deal.

As heavy seas were breaking on the beach, it was a dangerous task getting ashore, and two of the fishing boats were dashed together and damaged.

MANY CASUALTIES.

TREE FALLS ON LORRY: TWO MEN KILLED.

A tree at Thatcham, near Reading, was uprooted by the wind, and fell across a lorry which was passing along the road. Two of five men travelling in the vehicle were killed instantly. They were F. G. Reeves, of Connaught road, Reading, and Edward Gower, of Cemetery road, Reading. Mr. Reeves, a haulage contractor, was the owner of the lorry, and was driving at the time.

A railwayman leaving duty at Hull

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MUTINY ON THE VESTRIS.

CHIEF ENGINEER'S ALLEGATION.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Friday.

A surprise was sprung upon the Department of Commerce inquiry into the loss of the Vestris to-day, when the chief engineer of the ill-fated liner, Mr. Adams, declared that it was the mutiny of the black stokers, and the desertion by them of their posts in the stokehole, which sent the vessel to the bottom before the rescue ships could reach her.

Mr. Adams confirmed the statement that up to the time when Captain Carey, the commander of the Vestris, sent out an S.O.S. on Monday morning, he had reason to believe that they could keep the vessel afloat indefinitely by means of the pumps.

This evidence, which is in direct contradiction to that given yesterday by three of the negro firemen whom Mr. Tuttle extolled as heroes, bears out in every particular the statement made to Reuter's Correspondent last Saturday by four of the officers of the Vestris.

ONLY WHITE OFFICERS LEFT.

The chief engineer declared that the firemen became frightened as a green avalanche of water poured into the stokehold and began to desert their positions and go on to the deck, where they remained in spite of orders to return below. Only eight white officers were left to stoke the fires in the rapidly listing ship.

"Until the firemen quit," Mr. Adams declared, "I thought I could hold the water down, but after they ran out I began to lose steam, with the pumps failing. The coal bunker bulkhead gave way about half-past eleven, and then I knew it was about all up."

RUMANIAN EARTHQUAKE.

TERROR IN BUKHAREST.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BUKHAREST, Friday.

A minute's earthquake, which shook Rumania at 6.24 this morning, caused scenes of panic here and in the suburbs.

Terrified residents rushed out of their homes, and did not venture to return until some time later. There was a wild stampede of officials and telephone girls from the Central Post Office.

At Constanza some walls were cracked and furniture displaced. At Chisinau pictures fell from the walls, while at Focsani the light plant failed.

The Bukharest Observatory was deluged with requests from the provinces for information.

GAMBLING LOSSES.

BARON'S SUICIDE AT MONTE CARLO.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NICE, Friday.

Four days ago the dead body of Baron Keoppen, a member of a well-known Russian-German family, was discovered in an hotel bedroom at Monte Carlo. An inquest was held, and the verdict was suicide by poisoning, following heavy losses in gambling.

The Casino authorities have been trying to hush up the affair, as this was the Baron's second attempt at suicide. He made his first attempt also with poison last year, but was saved by a doctor.

FREE STATE EMBASSY IN PARIS.

NEW MINISTER NOT YET APPOINTED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Friday.

It is confirmed here that the Irish Free State Office in Paris, which for seven years has been so capably administered by Mr. Vaughan Dempsey, will shortly become the Irish Legation. The official announcement of the change will probably be made only after the submission of the necessary estimates to Dail Eireann; but, in any case, the Legation will be established at the earliest possible moment. While no definite information is yet available regarding the first holder of the post of Irish Free State Minister here, it is considered that there is every possibility that Mr. Vaughan Dempsey himself will be appointed.

THE MURDER OF AN ACTRESS.

DR. KNOWLES SENTENCED TO DEATH.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

KUMASI, ASHANTI, Friday.

The trial of Dr. Knowles, who has been sentenced to death on a charge of murdering his wife, formerly Miss Madge Clifton, the well-known music-hall artist, lasted eight days.

The sentence of death has to be confirmed by Sir A. Ransford Slater, Governor-in-Council, Gold Coast.

Dr. Knowles has given notice of appeal.

The murder was alleged to have taken place in a bungalow, where Dr. Knowles and his wife lived at Bekwai, a village settlement 25 miles from Kumasi.

Many natives were in the court when the sentence was pronounced, but there were only a dozen Europeans.

NEWSPAPER EDITOR STABBED.

ALLEGATIONS ABOUT AGA KHAN.

FROM EXCHANGE CORRESPONDENT.

BOMBAY, Friday.

Mr. Valji Pathar, editor of a newspaper here, received critical wounds in a stabbing affray in the main thoroughfare of Bombay to-day. It is believed that the attack was made owing to alleged defamatory statements in a newspaper concerning the Aga Khan. A large crowd watched the struggle between the editor and his two assailants, one of whom escaped and the other was arrested.

A FIVE DAYS' FLIGHT.

NEW YORK TO COLOMBIA.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT

WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA, Friday.

Lieut. Benjamin Mendez, the Colombian aviator, started on a homeward flight to Columbia from Rockaway, New York, this morning in a large seaplane, and is believed to have been sighted near here at 12.30 to-day.

The airman proposes to make the flight in five days, stopping *en route* at Jacksonville, Havana, Puerto Barros and Colon.

GENERAL BRAMWELL BOOTH.

The Press Association was informed last night that General Bramwell Booth, the Salvation Army leader, passed "a very good day."

SELF-MADE MAN'S £60,000,000.

MR. T. F. RYAN DEAD.

IRISH AMERICAN'S RISE TO FORTUNE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Friday.

The death is reported, at the age of 77, after a brief illness, of Mr. Thomas Fortune Ryan, the financier.

Mr. Ryan began his career in the employ of a Baltimore dry goods firm, and entered Wall street in 1870. Later he was interested in the consolidation and extension of tramways and street lighting in New York, Chicago and other cities, and became interested in coal properties.

He is said to have been the largest individual holder of Congo diamond fields in the Belgian Congo. He was also prominently identified with the American Tobacco Company and the British-American Tobacco Company.

When he retired in 1908 he was officer or director of more than thirty corporations. Mr. Ryan's fortune is estimated at 300,000,000 dollars (£60,000,000).

Mr. Ryan, who was born in the country section of Virginia, was a typical example of the self-made American millionaire. A large part of his immense fortune was centred in tobacco stocks, and he will be especially remembered in England for the leading rôle he took in the pre-war fight between the Imperial and American Tobacco Companies.

DEPUTY SUSPENDED.

FREE STATE'S TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

Yesterday's sitting of the Dail was brief but exciting, the net result being the suspension of Mr. Hugo Flinn (Fianna Fail, Cork) for the second time since he became a member of the House at the last general election, and the announcement by the Minister for External Affairs that trade relations between Russia and the Irish Free State will eventually be established as part of the Government's general policy of finding new markets and developing old markets for Irish goods.

All day on Thursday Fianna Fail deputies attacked Government policy during the debate on the second reading of the Appropriation Bill. Yesterday morning Mr. Briscoe (Fianna Fail) continued the onslaught, making special reference to "the failure of the Government's housing methods."

Dr. Hennessy (Government) said a word on behalf of the Government and argued that the abolition of the Army and the reduction of the Civic Guards would mean that the Government would find great difficulty in raising another National Loan.

TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

Mr. McGilligan, who replied for the Government, dealt in detail with the criticism offered by Fianna Fail deputies, and told the House that eventually trade relations with Russia would be established in a formal way. He asked deputies to put forward some concrete proposals in this matter and the Government would show that it was in no way bound by Great Britain in its attitude to Soviet Russia.

MR. FLINN SUSPENDED.

A little later the incident which led to the suspension of Mr. Flinn occurred. The Speaker had rebuked him for a reference which he had made to the Chair, and Mr. Flinn made a remark which was inaudible to most members of the Dail.

Invited by the Speaker to repeat the statement, Mr. Flinn replied: "I will not, sir." At once he was named for insolence, the Speaker declaring that Mr. Flinn had interjected: "The privilege of the cat."

On the motion of President Cosgrave, Mr. Flinn was "suspended from the service of the House," the division resulting in 55 votes for his retention and 71 for his suspension.

When Mr. Flinn had withdrawn from the Chamber, after bowing with a broad smile on his face to the Chair, Mr. de Valera told the Speaker that the words used by the suspended member were "a privileged attack," to which the Speaker replied that the words seemed to him to be "the privilege of the cat."

"I asked the deputy to repeat the words," added the Speaker, "but he refused to give them." Mr. de Valera made a formal protest on behalf of his party, adding that "the Chair is a bit irritable this morning."

PROTESTS.

A heated scene followed the departure from the House, amidst the cheers of his colleagues, of Mr. Flinn. Mr. Coburn (N.L.) also protested strongly against the suspension of Mr. Flinn, and this brought Fianna Fail back-benchers to their feet, applauding loudly. In the shouting that ensued the Speaker could be heard to state that, if Mr. Coburn did not sit down he also would be named; so Mr. Coburn wisely sat down.

After a while the House settled down to business, and the question whether Mr. Flinn said "a privileged attack" or "the privilege of the cat" was laid aside for the moment.

The incident closed after the Speaker had stated that he would accept Deputy Flinn's word for anything he said, and that he would accept Deputy Briscoe's word that the words used were "a privileged attack."

Mr. Cosgrave said that, if there had been a misconception or any incident which should be taken into account, that was not the time for it. On his suggestion the matter was allowed to drop. Mr. Flinn, it seems certain, will be back in his place next Wednesday.

The second stage of the Appropriation Bill was passed by 80 votes to 53, only the Fianna Fail members voting against it. The remaining stages of the bill were at once taken, and it was finally passed by 78 votes to 53.

AMERICAN AEROPLANE FALLS.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SPOKANE, Friday.

A three-engined Ford, a passenger aeroplane, crashed on a farm near here to-day.

Four of the occupants were killed instantly, and the three other passengers were badly injured.

ALLEGED FRAUD ON A LONDON BANK.

GERMAN WORKS MANAGER ARRESTED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Friday.

The manager of a chemical works near Berlin has been arrested on a charge of misappropriating 10,000,000 marks (£500,000), belonging to his firm, and of defrauding a London bank and a Dutch bank.

The arrested man is alleged to have obtained £50,000 from the London bank on the security of goods which were already pledged twice over. The Dutch bank is alleged to have been defrauded of a still larger sum.

THE KING'S CONDITION IMPROVING.

X-RAY EXAMINATION.

ILLNESS SAID TO BE TAKING NORMAL COURSE.

The King's condition shows some improvement, and the doctors, who paid two visits to Buckingham Palace yesterday, are satisfied that His Majesty's constitution is fighting the chill with good results. The following bulletins were issued during the day:—

11.45 a.m.

The King passed a restless night, the temperature remaining at 101. There is a slight extension of the mischief in the lung, but His Majesty's strength in maintained.

(Signed),
STANLEY HEWETT.
DAWSON OF PENN.

8 p.m.

The King has had a quieter day. The temperature is lower, and there is no further extension of mischief in the lung.

(Signed),
STANLEY HEWETT.
DAWSON OF PENN.

At midnight the Press Association was authoritatively informed at Buckingham Palace that the King was continuing to make satisfactory progress.

X-RAY EXAMINATION.

In order to complete the investigation of the illness, an X-Ray examination of the king was carried out yesterday. A special X-Ray apparatus was unostentatiously taken into the Palace during the day. It was of the most up-to-date type, and was brought from one of the principal centres of X-Ray treatment in London.

Sir Stanley Hewett and Lord Dawson were present at the examination, which was purely for the purposes of diagnosis, and it is not to be regarded in any way as indicative of a disturbing condition.

The improved tone of last night's bulletin led to a feeling of reassurance among members of the Royal suite and the Palace staff. The Queen and the Duke of York were the first people to be informed of the improvement.

The Duke of York, who arrived in London yesterday afternoon, paid a second visit to the Palace last night, where he remained for dinner. He saw the King for a few minutes before he left at 10.45 p.m. for his home in Piccadilly.

Princess Mary, who, it is stated, is returning from Goldsborough Hall to join her mother in London, did not travel yesterday, and it was explained that she was not expected at Buckingham Palace last night.

"A NORMAL ILLNESS."

An eminent physician, who is not connected with the Court, discussing last night's bulletin with a Press Association reporter said that the King's condition showed that his illness was pursuing a normal course.

"The King's condition," he said, "would probably fluctuate for about seven days, but there was no cause for real anxiety. 'The mischief' referred to is the congestion mentioned in Thursday's bulletin. The fact that the congestion extended slightly yesterday need not cause alarm. It is a condition which may vary hourly."

The object of the visit of the King's physicians to the Palace on Thursday night was to make certain bacteriological investigations, which are habitual in all cases of microbic infection.

NO CHANGE IN THE PRINCE'S PLANS.

It is officially stated that the arrangements for the Prince of Wales's visit to South Africa are proceeding normally. The delay at Dodoma is due to the weather. It is reported that no alteration has been made in the plans of His Royal Highness.

CRICKET.

M.C.C. V. QUEENSLAND.

AN INTERESTING MATCH.

SPECIAL CABLES.

BRISBANE, Saturday.

Several interesting features combine to make the M.C.C.'s match against the "baby" State of the Sheffield Shield competition of more than ordinary importance.

In the first place, it immediately precedes the first Test Match, which begins next Friday on the same ground, and which will be the first Test Match ever played at Brisbane. Hitherto Queensland has had to be content with a match against an Australian XI. largely composed of local players.

Another noteworthy point about to-day's match is that Queensland, from all data so far available, possesses Australia's finest bowler. This is R. K. Oxenham, who took ten wickets for 90 runs for Australia against The Rest. Queensland, in fact, are quite a good bowling side, as Thurlow, who recently skittled out six New South Wales players in one innings, is also included, as well as Knowles and Percy Hornibrook, who on a treacherous wicket is quite capable of running through a side with his tricky left-handed deliveries.

The wicket at Brisbane, according to Mailey, possesses a deadly spot, and it remains to be seen who will find it. In the corresponding match of Gilligan's tour Queensland gained a very creditable draw, scoring 275 and 131 for three wickets against the tourists' 522. In this match Hendren collected a brilliant 168 and Chapman 80. Hornibrook took five wickets for 210.

Pleasant weather prevailed this morning, when O'Connor, having won the toss, took Gough in with him to open Queensland's first innings on a wicket which, owing to recent heavy rain, was soft in places.

Hammond and Geary, who opened the attack, were making the ball rear up, and with only 17 runs on the board Gough was caught by Mead at deep square leg off Freeman for 9.

The covering over the Test wicket, which still remains pegged to the ground within a few feet of the present wicket, is likely to put the fieldsmen off their game.

QUEENSLAND—First Innings.	
F. Gough c Mead b Freeman	9
L. O'Connor not out	20
Dr. O. E. Nothling st Ames b Freeman	8
F. C. Thompson not out	17
Extras	6
Total (2 wickets)	60

Lunch score:—Queensland, 73 for 2.

ANOTHER WILD DAY ON WALL STREET.

NEARLY 7,000,000 SHARES CHANGE HANDS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Friday.

Prices churned about wildly to-day on the Stock Exchange in the course of another riotous session, in which the total sales—namely, 6,900,000 shares—set a new high "record."

A wide assortment of gains was made in the first hour of trading, but these were largely wiped out in a wave of liquidation around midday, when traders, on a rumour that the Federal Reserve Bank was about to make an important announcement, sold heavily. The announcement proved to be merely that of the name of the new Governor, and the market rallied during the afternoon.

Canadian Pacific was a feature among the Rails, selling ten points higher. Wright Aero fell to 255 from 289. Case Threshing hit 515, then dropped to 407, and Radio closed at 368.

Coppers and Oils were generally well supported.

A PURE MILK SUPPLY.

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATION

A petition, praying for the introduction of legislation to ensure a safe milk supply in the Irish Free State, has been presented to Mr. Mulcahy, Minister for Local Government.

The petition, which had 2,279 signatures, was placed before the Minister by representatives of the Irish Clean Milk Society on Wednesday.

Mr. Mulcahy assured the Society's representatives that the report of the Inter-Departmental Committee on Milk Supply was not to remain a dead letter. The matters raised in the report were being fully examined by a specially appointed Departmental Committee, he said, and he hoped to receive this Committee's report before Christmas. He intimated that he would receive another deputation from the Clean Milk Society in January, when he would be able to tell how matters were progressing.

The representatives of the Society suggested the restriction of the use of terms designating milk such as "Certified," "Grade A," etc., and further pressed that pasteurised milk should be labelled as such until legislation was introduced. At present those terms bore no Governmental or departmental guarantee, and, therefore, carry no guarantee as to the safety or purity of the milk.

The Minister, it is learned, was extremely sympathetic.

The signatories to the petition included 99 doctors and matrons of hospitals. Public bodies, in addition to urban and rural district councils, which subscribed to the petition, included the Cork Chamber of Commerce, the British Legion (Benevolent Department), Irish Labour Party and Trades Union Congress, Dublin Cow-keepers' and Dairymen's Association, Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, County Westmeath Committee of Agriculture, Irish Nurses' Union, Women's National Health Association, Irish Women Workers' Union, God Save the Children Fund, St. John Ambulance Brigade.

DUBLIN HOSPITAL SUNDAY FUND.

To-morrow the fifty-fifth annual collection will be made in three hundred places of worship in aid of the Dublin Hospital Sunday Fund. Contributions from those who are unable to attend the Services to-morrow may be sent to the treasurer or secretaries of the Fund, or may be lodged to the credit of the Fund in any of the branches of the Royal Bank, Ltd.

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IRISH GIRLS AS COOKS.

A NEGLECTED ART IN RURAL EDUCATION.

STATEMENTS AT A MONAGHAN MEETING.

"Very few in the county are expert cooks. The average housewife is not able to make the best use of her money, because she is not being taught to cook in the proper way. When young girls get married and have to run a house of their own they do not know how to cook, nor could they impart knowledge to their children in the art of cookery."

This statement was made by Mr. J. J. Mullowney, the Secretary of Monaghan Technical Committee, when a report from the Education Department was read at a meeting of that body, pointing out that of a staff of thirteen teachers only one was engaged in practical instruction—namely woodwork—and suggesting that the organisation of classes in domestic economy should receive the earnest attention of the Committee.

Mr. William Forgrave said that he was not satisfied they had such bad cooks in County Monaghan, and said that cookery classes were conducted in the National Schools under the supervision of the teachers.

It was stated there was no instruction in cookery in National Schools.

Mr. Forgrave said they had this instruction in the schools in the urban areas.

Mr. Carson said they used have it in some of the rural schools.

It was stated very few rural schools now taught cookery.

The Committee took no action concerning the appointment of a domestic economy instructress, but recommended the appointment of an additional instructor in manual instruction, Mr. Forgrave stating it was a grand thing for farmers to be taught how to use the saw or the plane in making a barrow, mending a ladder or driving a nail as the occasion required.

THE IRISH CLASSES.

Reports concerning classes indicated that attendance at the various Irish classes averaged from seven to ten students.

When it was mentioned that in Carrickmacross district this was the average, Mr. Forgrave said that they were not enthusiastic about Irish down there.

Secretary—Evidently not.

Chairman (Mr. F. Duffy)—Politics is more in their line.

THE FUKIEN MISSION.

ANNUAL MEETING IN DUBLIN.

The annual general meeting of the Dublin University Fukien Mission was held yesterday afternoon in the Graduates' Memorial Building, Trinity College, Dublin. The Very Rev. H. J. Lawlor, Dean of St. Patrick's Cathedral, presided.

The work of the Mission in China has proceeded steadily throughout the year, the Rev. J. Tobias, hon. secretary, said, in presenting the report. Although the British Embassy's restrictions on itinerating work have remained in force, they have interfered but little with the work, for the reason that the only itinerating missionary in the Mission—Deaconess Armstrong—is now home on leave. The members of the attentuated staff now on the field have been fully occupied with the supervision of institutions; it has been for them a year of adaptation of methods to meet the almost bureaucratic regulations of the new Nationalistic *régime*, and of constructive problems concerning the further building up of the Church under the changed conditions. The task is made much less difficult than it might otherwise be by the happy fellowship existing between our missionaries and their Chinese Christian colleagues.

SCHOOL BURNED.

A fire on January 1st reduced to ruins the finest of the Mission's school buildings—that which housed the Anglo-Chinese department of Trinity College, Foochow. It was decided by the Board of Managers that this school ought to be rebuilt at once, the estimated cost being around £2,500, of which £1,278 was forthcoming from the insurance office. The Home Committee appealed for one thousand pounds to cover the balance, towards which they voted £300. This appeal has not been as widely responded to as was hoped. The fund on October 31st amounted to only £662, leaving a balance of £338 yet to be raised.

Some offers of service have been received lately, which were very welcome, as for over four years past no recruits have been sent out, and the services of several missionaries have been lost from various causes.

The Rev. E. J. Young, Hon. Treasurer, read the financial report. The credit balance is £595, as compared with £883 last year; £1,284 has been sent to the Church Missionary Society for the salaries of missionaries, and over £500 to the field for the support of the hospital and schools.

Miss Armstrong gave an account of her work in China, and spoke of the numbers who learnt first of Christianity when patients in the hospitals, and were thus eventually induced to become Christians.

THE WORK IN CHINA TO-DAY.

The Rev. B. W. Simpson said one great interest attaching to the work in China was that we were at the beginnings of church life out there. In each case the foundation of the church begins with the personal story of some man or woman who has started the work. The country is practically settled down now except for the presence in many places of bandits, which is the only reason missionaries are not allowed to go about freely. One Government is functioning over the whole country to a fair extent more than any Government has functioned in China for many years past.

Regretting the lack of recruits, Mr. Simpson said that there is a great shortage on the men's side of the work. If there are any young men here to-day, he said, or young women, who are thinking of going out to the mission field it would be a great help to know, as then plans can be made accordingly.

IRISH PRODUCE FOR ENGLAND.

THE SUNDAY SERVICE FROM DUBLIN.

In connection with the fast Sunday cargo boat services from Dublin (North Wall) to Holyhead for the conveyance of Irish produce, including fresh pork, to the principal marketing centres in Great Britain, it should be pointed out that this is a one-day goods service. In addition to two sailings daily from North Wall, the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company are now running a special boat every Sunday morning.

These services are linked with interior Irish stations by connecting trains, while express trains are run from Holyhead to London and other important centres in Great Britain, thus giving the advantage of a one-day goods service to all the principal markets. Pork despatched by the Sunday morning boat is "pitched" in Smithfield market between 1 and 2 a.m. on Monday, in good time for that day's business.

ANTRIM COAST LANDSLIDE.

The worst landslide that has occurred for many years on the Antrim coast road took place yesterday about two miles from Larne near the Black Arch.

Probably as the result of the exceptionally heavy rain of the past two weeks a huge mass of soil slid down on to the road, completely blocking it with a mass several feet in depth.

The top of the brae is of rock, and was undisturbed, but the landslide left a huge gap in the face of the hill.

Yesterday morning the assistant surveyor, amidst a storm of rain and wind, commenced the work of removing the landslide.

NATIONAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Candidates should note that at the last Examination Pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, Stephen's Green, gained 7 of the 13 places.—(Advt.)

An Anglo-Polish steamship line with a capital of £325,000 is to be established.

OLD JEWELLERY WANTED.

Brooches, Bracelets, Chains, Watches, Lockets, Rings, False Teeth, Medals, Coins. Bring or send

ORGEL, 35 Nassau St., Dublin.

THE STORM

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while the gale was still raging failed to hear the approach of an engine, and was knocked down and killed. He is not yet identified.

Celia Godfrey, aged six, was killed by a falling chimney stack at Hull. An elderly man, William Tasker, collapsed and died on the railway dock side.

A portable greenhouse at Preston Park, North Shields, was blown over, and an under-gardener named George Ray, aged 21, was killed.

Part of the roof of a house in George street, North Shields, was crushed in by a falling chimney. The tenant, Mrs. Annie Sime, a widow with eight children, who was ill in bed, was partly buried under *débris*, and was rescued suffering from shock and severe bruises.

The roof was blown off the pavilion at St. James's Park, Newcastle United Football Club's enclosure.

CHIMNEY STACKS THROUGH ROOF.

At Gateshead two chimney stacks were blown through the roof of a house, John Kinnafich, aged 68, being hit on the head and seriously injured. About a dozen people suffered minor injuries from falling tiles.

Roofs, shop windows and hoardings in various parts of London suffered severely.

The midday and afternoon air services between London and the Continent were cancelled.

The gable-end of a house in Wilton street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, collapsed, and Leslie Prusser, aged 15, was buried under the bricks, but was not seriously injured.

The roofs of three Abertillery houses were blown off, and the River Ebbw overflowed the main road to Newport to a depth of four feet.

At Llanhilleth a portion of the mountain broke away and blocked the road. Scores of houses were stripped of their roofs.

Exposed work in the Jarrow-on-Tyne shipyards was stopped owing to the gale.

A vessel broke away from her moorings at Hebburn, but, after being adrift for some time, was secured by several tugs.

ACCIDENT TO A CRANE.

The cabin on top of a travelling crane, about fifty feet from the ground, at Cleveland Bridge Works, Darlington, was hurled to the ground. Just as the driver, J. R. Rodham, aged about sixty, whose left arm and leg were broken and head and shoulders injured, had been extricated the cabin burst into flames.

THREE SEAPLANES WRECKED.

GALE'S HAVOC AT PORTLAND.

Two seaplanes of the latest type, which had only been in commission about three months, were sunk in Portland Harbour during yesterday's gale. They had been tied up with three others to the usual moorings, when one broke away and carried the other with it. There were no ratings on board. Efforts will be made to salve the engines.

A third naval seaplane broke away from its moorings in Portland Harbour last night, and was driven across the harbour and wrecked on the sea wall.

Large quantities of new deal timbers, washed ashore on the Western coast of the Isle of Wight, are feared to have come from the hold of some vessel which has foundered.

500 HOMELESS.

WELSH HUTMENT COLONY WRECKED.

Between four and five hundred people, living in a hutment colony known as Woodland Village, Ebbw Vale, were rendered homeless by the gale. Last week's gale wrecked sixteen huts, and yesterday the havoc was completed.

By midday the condition of the buildings was such that orders were given for them to be evacuated. Halls and other public buildings are being used to house the families. It is not expected that the huts can be made again habitable, and the Ebbw Vale Steel, Iron and Coal Company, who owns the huts, are removing the furniture to storage. A relief fund is being organised by the local Council.

IN THE PROVINCES.

BOY KILLED BY A TREE AT NAAS.

About midday yesterday, when the storm was at its height, Thomas Walsh (10) was killed by a tree which fell upon him at Oldtown, Naas, while he was watching workmen removing another tree which had crashed across the roadway.

Great damage was caused in Fermanagh. At Mullaghy a tree fell on the motor of Messrs. T. J. Harvey, seriously injuring the driver, P. McCusker, and the firm's foreman, a man named Greenaway, who were conveyed to hospital.

WIDESPREAD FLOODING.

Serious flooding has occurred in many parts of County Tyrone, especially along the valley of the Fairy Water, between Castlederg, Drumquin, and Omagh.

The river burst its banks in numerous places, and inundated wide areas of the countryside.

When the teachers and pupils arrived at Calkill School, on the road between Omagh and Baronscourt, yesterday morning, they discovered the school flooded. This school has been previously condemned by the Ministry of Education.

Fallen trees blocked many roads in the Clogher Valley, and the midday train from Maguiresbridge to Tynan was delayed an hour in consequence near Augnacloy. In the same locality a telegraph pole was blown down. 'Buses had to take a circuitous route owing to the blockade of trees outside Fivemiletown.

FAMILIES DRIVEN FROM HOME.

Floods have occurred in the low-lying lands along the River Arra, in County Tipperary; in Aherlow, Cappamore, and other parts of East Limerick.

In the Banagher district the floods have spread to an alarming extent during the past few days. The water is washing over the railway line between Shannon Harbour and Banagher. Motor barges were unable to work against the storm and flood yesterday, and road traffic was considerably impeded, as many of the roads around Banagher are partly under water.

It is reported that some families in Reisk, north of Shannon Harbour, had to leave their houses yesterday morning. Live stock are being moved to neighbouring farms away from the reach of the advancing waters.

In Dundalk many shop windows were smashed. In Bridge street a shop window was "sucked out" and carried right across the street, where it crashed on the sidewalk, having been lifted over the heads of pedestrians who were passing.

An attendant on a Great Northern Railway dining car who put his head out of the window of the car as the train neared Dundalk Station was struck on the neck by a falling telephone wire, and had to be treated at the County Infirmary.

FOUR KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

CORUNNA, Friday.

Four people were killed to-day and five other badly injured by the premature explosion of a blasting charge in a new tunnel on the Santiago-Corunna Railway.

NATIONAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Next exam., Feby., 1929. 25 Successes last 3 exams., including 4 of 13 vacancies Feby., 1928. Oral and Correspondence Classes.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green.—(Advt.)

DISARMAMENT.

A LEAGUE OF NATIONS PROBLEM.

Dr. Christian L. Lange, Norwegian delegate to the League of Nations, gave a lecture last night in the Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, Dublin, on "Disarmament as a League of Nations Problem."

He said that disarmament as a problem existed long before the League of Nations was created. Any of them who remembered the terrible days of 1914, when armies were massing on the different frontiers and navies were being mobilised at the ports, would understand why this problem came particularly to the forefront when the League was formed. Although the problem was old, it was really a revolutionary thing that happened when it was inscribed in Article 8 of the Covenant of the League that the maintenance of peace required a reduction of armaments to the minimum, consistent with national safety, and with the carrying out of international obligations under the Covenant.

Up to the time of the world war, and to some extent up to the present day, it was considered that armaments were maintained to secure peace. What, he asked, was the lesson of the war in that respect? The more light that was thrown on the history of the events leading up to the crisis of 1914 the more it was realised that the real cause of the war was the anarchy existing in international affairs. It was the existence of armaments that threatened the maintenance of peace, because with armaments there was no guarantee of peace and goodwill among nations. So long as the different Powers represented in the League could arm without any control it would be exceedingly doubtful if the stipulations of the Covenant as to the safeguarding of peace could really be carried out. The real meaning of the Article was that no State could be possessed of so great a measure of armaments that it could be even tempted to use those armaments against the spirit of the League. Before the reduction could really take place the consent of the different States must be obtained by the League for the common measure of reduction which should take place.

LITTLE PROGRESS MADE.

It was now nine years since the Covenant had been accepted by the States, but no real, palpable progress had been made with the problem of reducing armaments.

Describing the achievements of the League, Dr. Lange said that durng the first year of its existence only formal progress was made. Later a Preparatory Committee began work, and the disarmament problem was discussed in the Press and by the public. One conclusion could safely be drawn from all that had taken place, and that was that the problem of disarmament was extremely complicated. As a technical problem it was the most difficult that had been submitted to the League. There was hardly a single point on which there was full unanimity. He was hopeful, however, that one of the results would be a cessation of the increase of armaments. Though that might appear to be a very modest result, it would, in reality, constitute a revolution in international affairs. It was evident that, so long as the armament's problem remained unsolved, there would always be a lurking danger of war, and always something insecure in the so-called peace of the world.

It was the duty of everyone to forestall the possibility of new rivalry in armaments, and, as a consequence, to avert the possibility of a new war. That could be done through the League, which was nothing but what the Government of each country wanted it to be. (Applause.)

On the motion of Mr. Thomas Johnson, seconded by Sir William Thompson, a vote of thanks was passed to Dr. Lange for his address.

Senator Douglas presided at the meeting which was held in connection with the League of Nation's Society of Ireland.

A BISHOP'S HOMECOMING.

GALWAY'S WELCOME TO DR. O'DOHERTY.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

GALWAY, Friday.

Almost every house in Galway was illuminated to-night to celebrate the home-coming of the Most Rev. Dr. O'Doherty, Bishop of Galway, who had attended the Eucharistic Congress in Sydney. A bonfire blazed in the centre of Eyre Square, which presented a picturesque sight, with lights in every window. Fog-signals exploded as the train drew into the railway station, where were gathered the members of the Urban Council, clergy from the city and surrounding parishes and a great concourse of the citizens. The Salthill Industrial School Band played "Come Back to Erin," and loud cheers were raised as His Lordship stepped on to the platform, where he was met by the priests and prominent laymen and escorted to a dais, which was decorated with the Papal colours.

URBAN COUNCIL'S ADDRESS.

Surrounded by the members of the Urban Council, Mr. T. N. Redington, Town Clerk, read an address of welcome from the Urban Council. They felt highly honoured, the address stated, that their reverend bishop should have been a representative of the Irish Church and people at the splendid Eucharistic Congress, which was such a great manifestation of Catholic faith. It was most gratifying to learn of the important part played at the Congress by our country, particularly having regard to the fact that the standard of Catholic faith was first raised in Australia by members of the Irish race. The address continued: "In every movement having for its object the advancement of Galway you have taken an active part, and in the continuous efforts made to improve our city and its suburban health resort, Salthill, we could always rely on your sympathetic support. You have been ready and willing to pay heed to the appeal of the poor and afflicted, and to relieve their distress and console them in their affliction."

The address was signed by Martin McDonogh, T.D., Chairman; Joseph S. Young, Vice-Chairman; and Mr. Redington, Secretary.

THE BISHOP'S REPLY.

His lordship, in reply, said that he was glad to be back again in old Galway and among its warm-hearted priests and people. He thanked the Urban Council for their welcome. The scores and scores of Irishmen whom he had met in Australia bade him to bring back to Ireland their warmest regard and affection for the old land, for whose upliftment and progress they were most anxious. The first foundations of the Church in Australia were laid by those who rose against tyranny in 1798. They "rose in dark and evil days," and they had terrible sufferings to endure. If the Church in Australia owed its origin to these so-called convicts, the Church need not be ashamed of its origin. They were convicted and deported to Australia because they loved their native land. If they took the Irish element out of the Church in Australia there would be very little left. The Catholic schools there were voluntarily supported by the contributions of the people. The faith there was as ardent and living as in holy Ireland. The Archbishop of Tuam and himself were told that it would have been an eternal source of sorrow to the bishops and priests and people of Australia if there was not an Irish representation at the Eucharistic Congress. The Church in Australia was the fair daughter of the Irish Church, of which Ireland ought to be proud. Not only were the Catholics in Australia, and those who came from almost every country on earth, interested and edified by the Congress, which was a magnificent success, but non-Catholics of every shade of opinion were interested and full of admiration.

Dealing with their hearty reception in Melbourne, his Lordship said—Dr. Mannix is a power not only in Victoria, but in all Australia, and his welcome to the Irish delegates was of the most cordial kind. Dr. Mannix was in excellent health and spirits, and his heart was with us in Ireland as much as ever it was.

There are magnificent opportunities in Australia, continued his Lordship, for those who are willing and anxious to work. The Governments of the various States in Australia are anxious for settlers of the right type. He was always sorry to see their fine boys and girls going away from Ireland, but if they had to go he would advise them to go to Australia, where the bishops and priests were most anxious to have Irish men and women settled. Anything that he could do at any time for the promotion of the material as well as the spiritual welfare of Galway he would gladly do.

A procession, headed by the band, was formed, and accompanied the bishop to the Pro-Cathedral, where the *Te Deum* was sung.

A feature of the illuminations was a large electrically lit cross which surmounted St. Mary's Diocesan College.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

LORD BIRKENHEAD'S PENSION.

EX-LORD CHANCELLORS AND BUSINESS.

In the House of Commons yesterday, the Solicitor-General (Sir Boyd Merriman) moved the second reading of the Appellate Jurisdiction Bill, which provides for the appointment of two additional members of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, with Indian experience, and one additional Lord of Appeal-in-Ordinary.

Captain Wedgwood Benn (Labour, North Aberdeen), referring to the call of the State on the services of ex-Lord Chancellors, said that it seemed to him highly undesirable that a man should sit in the highest possible Court, whether of the House of Lords or the Judicial Committee, judging great commercial cases, with the knowledge in the public mind that the next day he might desert the office and himself engage in commerce.

"It seems to me," he continued, "far more undesirable if the knowledge in the public mind is that, while a man is engaged in commerce, he may the next day resume his judicial functions. This is a matter of public principle. Whether he considers it appropriate to draw, at the same time that he is engaged in commercial operations, a pension from the State is, perhaps, a matter of taste. I submit to the House that a very grave question will arise, and the dignity and authority of our courts will be very seriously undermined if a new rule is established enabling a man to intermingle the two functions."

Mr. James Hudson (Labour, Huddersfield) said that it ought to be made quite clear in connection with the Judges of Appeal that there was no place for a man who would set himself up for public auction, and make it quite clear in the public Press and on the public platform that he was out for a great deal more than he had hitherto received.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S REPLY.

The Attorney-General (Sir Thomas Inskip) said that he had no wish personally to discuss the matter which had been raised either now or at any future time. "These things occur, and may make people think," he added. "I must not be taken to criticise my noble friend, who has taken a course which, I think, he was perfectly entitled to take, so far as legal and constitutional practice are concerned. I believe that, on the whole, the best check upon any errors of judgment will be public opinion, which, coupled with the high sense of duty which has always been observed, and by my noble friend also on the Judicial Bench, will ensure the same perfection of service which has always characterised the members of our Judicial Tribunal.

"It is a remarkable tribute to the members of our Judicial Tribunal that, although the emoluments compared with those in times past, are admitted by everybody to be on the low side, not the least difficulty has ever been experienced in finding the best and highest talent for this service."

Replying to a question by Mr. Hudson, Sir Thomas Inskip said—I am not aware of any case where any judge has been enjoying judicial emoluments and has at the same time sought to earn commercial emoluments.

Captain Wedgwood Benn—There is a case in point. Lord Birkenhead is enjoying judicial emoluments and exercising commercial functions as well.

Sir Thomas Inskip—I do not wish to go into controversy, but I must not be taken to agree that the £5,000 pension is in consideration of the exercise of judicial duties presently performed.

The bill was read a second time.

DIPLOMATIC SERVICE.

Mr. A. M. Samuel, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, moved the second reading of the Superannuation (Diplomatic Service) Bill, which places members of the Diplomatic Service and of the Foreign Office staff on the same footing with regard to pension rights as other members of the Civil Service.

Mr. Kirkwood (Labour, Dumbarton Burghs) said that he did not intend to divide the House on the matter on this occasion, a request having been made by the Executive of the party that he and his friends should not do so. (Ministerial laughter.) "But," he added, "we withdraw absolutely nothing of what we have said." (Laughter.) He agreed that a member of the Diplomatic Service might, in the first year of his retirement, receive in salary, gratuity and pension a total sum of over £10,000. "There is no justice there," he said. "It is the class struggle laid bare. There are tens of thousands of as good men as anybody here who are on the border line of starvation."

Mr. E. Brown (Liberal, Leith) pointed out that the other evening on the financial resolution for the Appellate Jurisdiction Bill, Mr. Kirkwood voted without a word of protest for a pension not of £1,700, but of £6,750. Mr. Kirkwood had strained at the diplomatic gnat and swallowed the legal camel. (Laughter.)

Mr. Kirkwood—We were tied by our party, not to oppose it. (Loud laughter.)

Mr. A. M. Samuel said that the total cost of the diplomatic pensions was about £50,000 a year. If every member of the service came under the new scheme it would cost about £7,500 in the first year, tapering down to about £5,500 in the fifth year, £3,000 in the tenth year, and afterwards to about £2,000.

Commander Kenworthy claimed that there was no difference of opinion, only a difference of emphasis, in the Labour Party on this matter. He advocated changes that would put members of the diplomatic service abroad in a more independent position.

The bill was read a second time without a division.

DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

The Archbishop of Dublin distributed prizes at the Diocesan School for Girls, Adelaide road, Dublin, yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a large gathering of the parents and friends of the pupils.

The Archbishop, addressing the pupils, said that the school was now twenty-five years in existence, for the most part of which Miss Foster had presided so ably, and to her a great deal of the school tradition was due. A head mistress might do a great deal in founding school tradition, but she could do little without the help of the pupils, and he would ask the girls to do their part for Miss Latimer and her staff. He offered his best wishes to Miss Latimer, who had long been connected with the school, and he hoped that when he came to distribute the prizes next year he would find that the school had increased its successes. He was delighted to see the number of successes in the Intermediate Certificate examinations, and was specially gratified that honours had been taken by one of their pupils in Irish.

The report, read by Miss Latimer, B.A., Headmistress, showed that in the Intermediate Certificate Examination eight pupils entered, and five passed, one with honours. Honours were gained in Irish, English, French, mathematics, history, geography and drawing. E. Gordon obtained one of the scholarships awarded by the Board of Education, having obtained the first place of the girls and the 23rd place of all the pupils. At the Alexandra College Entrance Examination Enid Gordon obtained the Governess Association Scholarship, and E. Henderson was given a grant. At the Cambridge Junior Local Examination four entered and three passed. The "Evelyn C. Riley" Memorial Scholarship was divided between J. Davis and G. Smith. The "Emily Latimer Memorial Prize" for English literature was won by E. Gordon, and the Diocesan School Scholarship was won by L. Collins.

A large number of pupils entered and passed—many with honours—the Royal Drawing Society's Examination (Ablett system)

The choir, trained by Mr. T. H. Weaving, received an excellent report from the Board of Education, gaining a percentage mark of 91.75. The school had been inspected several times by the inspectors of secondary and technical branches of education, and satisfactory reports were received. (Applause.)

Canon Baillie, in conveying the thanks of the pupils to the Archbishop for distributing the prizes, spoke of their late Head Mistress, Miss Foster, as a pioneer. He said that they all knew how magnificently she had succeeded. He trusted and believed that Miss Latimer, her successor, would continue to uphold the traditions of the school. (Applause.)

An enjoyable vocal and instrumental programme contributed by the school choir included the Irish song, *Mo Talamh Dúchais*, by Mr. T. H. Weaving.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS VERY ACTIVE AND CLOSE STEADY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Friday.

The Stock Exchange will be closed to-morrow.

Stocks opened strong. Despite a record-breaking increase of 176 million dollars in brokers' loans for the week, a tremendous accumulation of overnight orders early sent many active issues soaring 5 to 30 points, but swift selling movements at mid-day cut down or wiped out many of the gains, quite a number of issues declining 1 to 5 points below yesterday. The mid-day selling was inspired by reports stating that an important statement would be given out by the Federal Reserve Banks. Many, fearing another warning on credit inflation, threw stocks overboard, but the statement proved to be merely about the election of a new Governor to succeed the late Benjamin Strong. Case Threshing Machine soared to 515, but reacted to 500, Wright Aero touched 289, then fell back to 264. Curtiss Aero reached 164¼, but declined to 153½; Victor Talking Machine advanced to 153½, and then drooped to 147¾, and Radio, after reaching 379, reacted to 361; while Montgomery Ward declined 12¼, and Vanadium 5 points below yesterday. General Motors rose 5½ to 214½, but reacted to 212½. The market's ability to recover brought a rush of fresh buying by speculators, who earlier had hastily sold. Canadian Pacific touched 250½, its highest price in twelve years, while International Nickel and Midland Steel Products Preferred advanced materially, and sensational performers, like Wright Aero and Radio, recovered 10 and 15 points, respectively, from their low levels of the day. The market closed steady. Government Bonds and Railroad Bonds steady. The day's sales totalled 6,943,000 shares. Money on call closed irregular at 6½ per cent. bid and 6¾ per cent. asked. All business was done at 6½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady. Silver unchanged at 58.

		Fri.	Thur.
Call Money		6½ b. 6¾a	6½ b. 6¾a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight		4.80 11/16	4.80 11/16
Do. do. Demand Bills...		4.84 9/16	4.84 5/8
Cable Transfers		4.85 3/16	4.85 1/16
Do. Montreal		4.84 1/16	4.84 1/16
Exchange Paris cable		3.96 3/4	3.96 3/4
Eng. Parity.	STOCKS.	† Fri.	Thur
204 1/16	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe ...	198	200
107 5/16	Do. Preferred ...	104	104
119 7/16	Baltimore and Ohio ...	113¾	115
254 5/8	Canadian Pacific ...	246	241
36 5/16	Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul	35 1/8	35 1/2
94 5/16	Chicago and North-West ...	91 1/2	91 1/2
70 1/4	Erie Shares ...	68 1/2	68 1/2
59 7/16	Erie 1st Preferred ...	57¾	58¼
144 5/16	Illinois Central ...	140	140
149 7/16	Louisville and Nashville ...	143	146
7 7/16	Mexican Nat. 1st Preferred...	7*	7*
53 5/8	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas...	51 7/8	52 1/2
71 15/16	Missouri Pacific ...	69¾	70
190 3/16	New York Central & Hudson R.	184 1/2	184 1/4
197 5/8	Norfolk and West Com.	191 1/2	191 1/2
116 7/16	Northern Pacific Com.	112¾	113¼
70 1/8	Pennsylvania Shares ...	68	68 1/2
107 7/16	Reading Shares ...	104 1/4	103 1/4
43 1/16	Do. Preferred ...	41 1/2	41 3/4 †
130 1/2	Southern Pacific	126 5/8	125 3/4
152 5/16	Southern Railway ...	147 5/8	147 1/2
224 1/2	Union Pacific	217 3/4	218
85 7/16	Do. Preferred	83 1/2	83
114 5/8	American Can. (New Stock) ...	111	113 1/2
286 5/8	American Smelt. and Refining	278	282 5/8
114 5/8	Anaconda Copper	111	111 5/8
19 5/16	Anglo-American Oil	19	18 7/8
126 5/16	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock...	122 5/8	82
—	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	—	—
96 7/16	New York Consolidated Gas...	93 1/8	92 7/8
191 3/4	General Electric (New Stock)...	186	185 3/4
220 7/8	General Motors (New)	214 1/4	208 3/4
51 1/16	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	5 3/8	5 1/2
36 11/16	Do. Pref. Certs.	37 1/2	37 1/4
50 1/2	International Pet. of Canada...	49	49 1/8
126 5/16	National Lead Com. Stock...	124 1/2	121
53 1/2	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	55 1/4	57
37 3/4	Shell Transport and Trading...	56	—
39 1/16	Shell Union Oil	37 7/8	38 1/8
41 7/8	U.S. Rubber	40	39 1/2
172 15/16	United States Steel Common...	167 5/8	168 1/2
145 7/16	Do. Preferred	141 1/2	141 1/4
—	Silver Commercial Bars ...	58	58
	BONDS.		
96 3/8	Atch. Top. New 4 % Gen. Mort.	93 1/2	93 1/2
84 7/16	Erie Rail. Gen. 4 % Lien Bonds	82	82 7/8
97 15/16	Union Pacific 4 % Bonds ...	94 7/8	94 3/4
111 1/16	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5 % Bonds	107 3/4	107 3/4
121 1/4	U.K. 5½ % Bonds, 1929 ...	118 1/8	118 1/8
107 9/16	Do. do. 1937 ...	103 3/4	104 1/4
—	U.K. Funding Loan	—	86 3/4
110 1/4	7 % German Loan	107	107

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng Equiv.	STOCKS AND SHARES.	Close Prices Fri.	Thur.
50 1/16	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd.	48 1/2	44
20 5/8	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	19 1/4	19 1/2
72 5/16	Do. Preferred	70	70
74 5/16	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd....	71 7/8	71 3/8
4 1/4	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	4 1/2	4 1/4
37 11/16	Do. 1st Preference Series B. ..	36 1/2	34 1/2
8	Do. 2nd Preference	7 3/4	7 3/4
38 3/4	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd.	37 1/4	37
114 5/16	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd. ...	108	108
44 3/8	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co....	43	42 3/4
34 1/16	Canada Paper Corp. ...	33	32 1/2
39 1/4	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	38 1/4	38 1/4
96 1/16	Do. New 6 p.c.	93 1/2	95
367 5/16	Can Mining and Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	375	378
113 5/8	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd....	112	111
8 1/2	Hollinger Gold Mining Shares	8 1/4	8 1/4
104 5/16	Montreal L. H. and P. Consol...	101	101
138 7/8	National Breweries, Ltd. ...	134 1/2	135
63 1/2	Port Alfred P. & P. Corp. Com.	61 1/2	61 1/2
94 15/16	Do. Preferred	92	92
81 9/16	Price Bros. and Co., Ltd.	79	74 1/2
90 5/8	Quebec Power Co. New Stock.	87 1/2	86 1/2
223 9/16	Shawinigan W. & P. Co. (New).	84 7/8	84*
77 7/16	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	216 1/2	214
108 1/16	Winnipeg Electric	75	71 1/2
280 5/16	Bank of Montreal	105	106
324 5/8	Canadian Bank of Commerce...	305	302 1/2
400 5/8	Royal Bank of Canada	314	307
		388	388

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spot steady, ½c. to ¼c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Amber Durum, spot ...	126 1/8	126 5/8
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot ...	114 1/8	114 5/8
No. 2 Northern Manitoba, spot ...	132 1/4	132 3/8
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot ...	133 1/8	133 3/8
No. 2 Red Winter, spot ...	157 3/8	157 5/8

RYE steady and unchanged. No. 2 spot, 115½.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American malting New York No. 2 spot, 80.

MAIZE easy, 1½c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot ...	100 3/4	100 3/4

LARD easy, 20 points lower. Prime Western steam, 12.10; Middle-West, 11.95 to 12.05.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 5.75 to 6.00.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 3/- to 4/-.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 16c to 17c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100 lbs., 45c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100 lbs., 60c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day	Prev. day
Standard White in cases ...	17.65	17.65
Standard White in barrels ...	14.25	14.25
Do. Philadelphia	14.25	14.25
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	3.25-3.60	3.25-3.60

COFFEE was easy at the opening and 19 to 16 points down. The easiness of European markets influenced liquidation and European selling, and the closing was easy, with Rio futures 15 to 20 and Santos 12 to 20 points lower. Spot steady, ¼ up for Rio No. 7, and unchanged for Santos No. 4. Rio No. 7, 18½; Santos No. 4, 23¼.

COCOA—Spot, 9½. Futures closed steady and 5 to 3 points up.

SUGAR—Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unchanged; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 3.89.

Approximate day's sales, 116,000 tons.

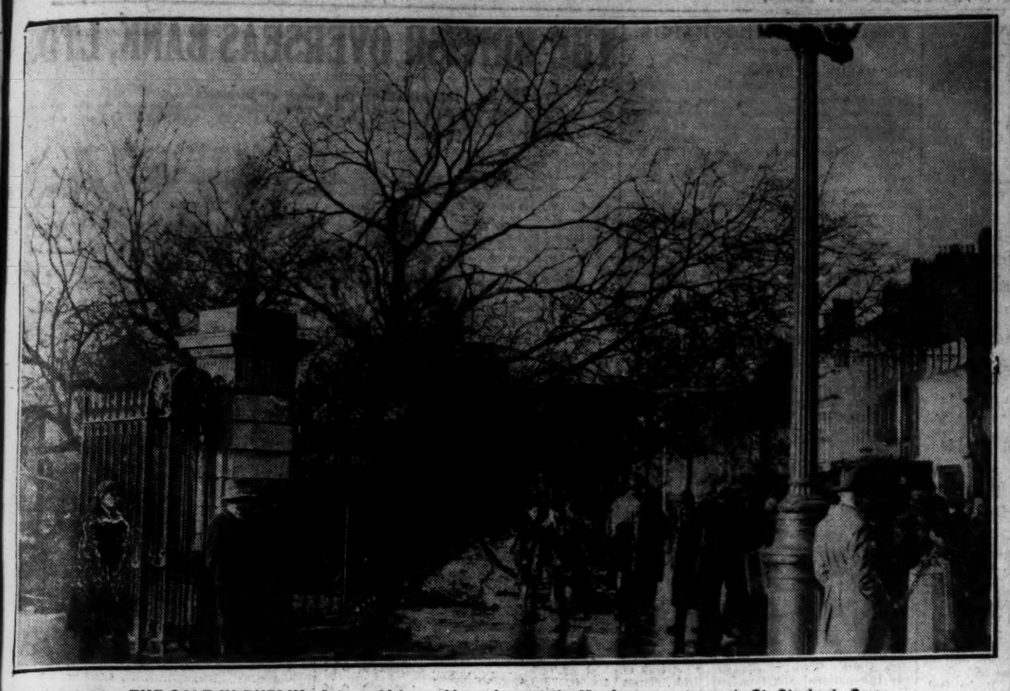
1929.						
Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	2.02	2.06	2.11	2.19	2.27	2.34
Prev. day ...	2.02	2.05	2.11	2.17	2.26	2.33

TALLOW steady. Spot extra loose, 9½; special extra, 9½; in tierces, 9½.

COTTON SEED OIL—Futures easy and 11 to 8 points lower. Prime summer yellow spot, 9.70. Options—December, 9.98; January, 10.17; March, 10.37; May, 10.51.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 61½.

METALS—Straits Tin firm and 1.00 point higher. Spot and near by New York, 32.25. Futures option—December, 52.12½. Lead steady and unchanged; spot New York, 6.25; spot East St. Louis, 6.20. Zinc steady and unchanged. Spot East St. Louis, 6.25. Pig Iron steady. Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. Furnace, Eastern Pennsylvania, 19.98; No. 2 plain, f.o.b.



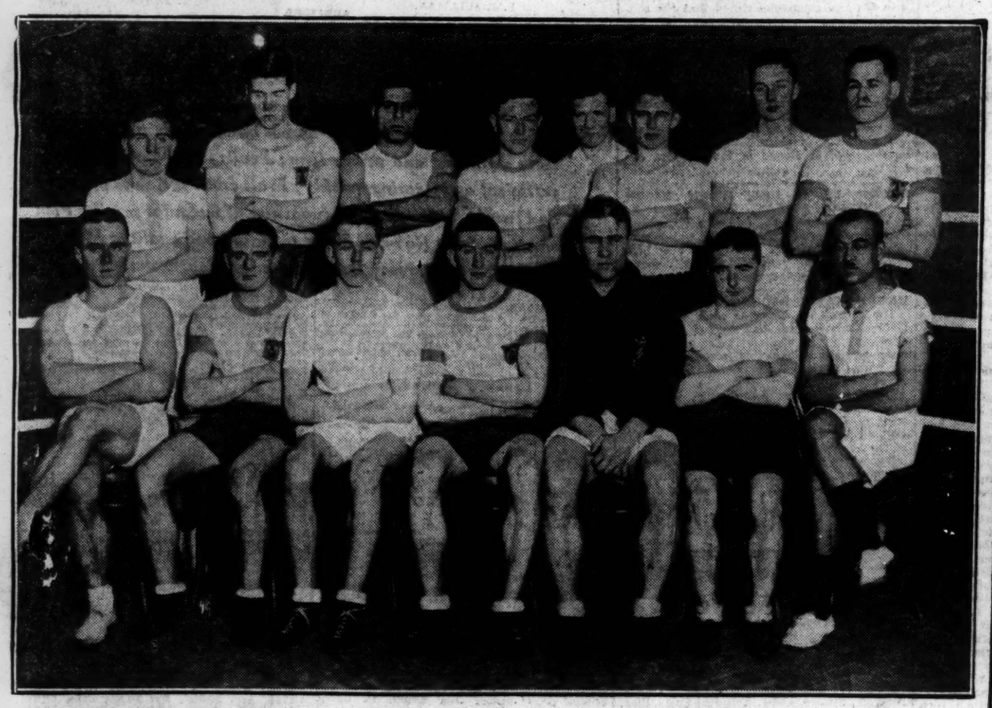
THE GALE IN DUBLIN—A tree which was blown down at the Merrion row entrance to St. Stephen's Green.

The Archbishop of Dublin distributing prizes at the Girls' Diocesan School, Adelaide road, Dublin.

Little Hope, one of the last survivors of the war pigeons, with a plan attached to tail, showing how the large messages were carried.

LATEST FASHION—This dress has pedal flounces, with the borders of deeper rose. The simple bodice has dash drapery at the back.

IRISH CUP WINNER—Mr. F. Flynn's Figaro, which won the Irish Cup yesterday at Clounanna.



The combined teams of Dublin University Boxing Club and Edinburgh University, who met last night at Dublin University.
Back—A. R. Graham, T. H. Dockrell, A. M. Geissa, P. C. Cosgrave, Assistant Inspector Gordon (of Edinburgh), E. Williams, J. J. Fergusson, E. St. J. Lyburn.
Front—W. Phinney, J. C. McGuire, E. M. Webster, I. Millar (captain, D.U.B.C.), J. L. Barber (captain, E.U.B.C.), C. Hogan and Zahi Faransawi.

Herr Sudermann, the German author and playwright, who died in Berlin this week.

Earl Beatty at the Marchioness Curzon's pheasant shoot at Hackwood Park, Basingstoke, Hants.

Owing to the illness of the King, the Queen opened the new Spitalfields Market. On the platform are Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Lord Mayor of London, the Queen, the Duke of York and the Lady Mayoress.

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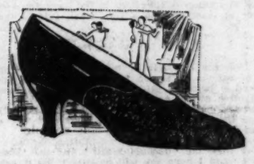
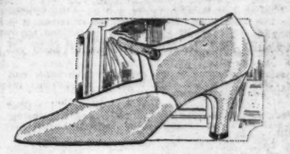
The Latest in Dance Shoes feature many becoming New Fabrics



On the left, for example, is a new Black Crepe-de-Chine Vamp Court Style Shoe, with black satine back, prettily trimmed with Silver Kid. It has the full Louis heel. A charming shoe that is sure to be very popular. PIM'S Price 27/6
Here, on the right, we illustrate a shoe of an entirely new fabric in Blonde Crepe-de-Chine. It is a very smart one-bar style, with full Spanish Louis heel, and is delightfully trimmed with Gold Kid. PIM'S Price 32/6



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ALEXANDRA COLLEGE.

LECTURE RECITAL.

A lecture illustrated by songs will be given at Alexandra College, Dublin, on Tuesday, 27th November, by Miss Cecilia Brenner, of London, on "Folk-Songs, Bach, Schubert." At this recital she will be heard for the first time in Dublin, but she has appeared on more than one occasion in Edinburgh and in Liverpool, and was welcomed both as an exponent of song-writing and for her artistic rendering of the items chosen to illustrate her theme.

CIVIC GUARD OFFICER RESIGNS.

The Executive Council of the Irish Free State have accepted the resignation of Superintendent Michael C. Connolly from the Civic Guard, with effect as from the 20th November.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Alderton, of Suffolk, celebrated their golden wedding on Thursday. Mr. Alderton is marking the event by learning to ride a tricycle.

MISSIONARY UNION SALE OF WORK.

The annual sale of work in connection with St. George's Parish Missionary Union was opened last evening at St. George's Parochial Hall by Miss Poë, Santry.

The Rev. H. G. Forde, rector, told of the work of the Union, and said that foreign missionary work bound parishioners more closely together.

Miss Poë, in her opening remarks, referred to her former associations with the parish, and said that she was pleased to see that the missionary work was being carried on as earnestly as ever. She hoped that the North Dublin Flower Society, which before the war distributed flowers to the Dublin hospitals, would be revived.

A vote of thanks to Miss Poë was passed on the motion of Mr. A. J. Ewing.

The sale will be continued to-day from three o'clock.

M. Lenglen denies the report that Mlle. Lenglen might meet Miss Helen Wills, and says that Suzanne has no intention of playing again. If she does so it will be privately.

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PROSPECTUS.

This Prospectus is published to-day in advance of the Opening of the Lists in order to give all Investors an equal opportunity. It will NOT appear in this paper on Monday.

The full Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies. Application will be made to the Committee of the Stock Exchange, London for permission to deal in the Shares of the Company.

The Subscription List will open on Monday, 26th November, 1928.

RADIUM SPRINGS, Limited

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908-1917)

Radio-Active Waters.

CAPITAL - - £500,000

800,000 8% Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares of 10/- each	£400,000
and	
2,000,000 Deferred Shares of 1/- each	£100,000
	£500,000

The holders of the Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares have the right in priority to the holders of the Deferred Shares to receive out of the profits of the Company of each year which it shall be determined to distribute, a preferential dividend at the rate of 8% per annum upon the amount paid up on the Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares held by them respectively and the surplus of such profits to be distributed shall be divided as to 40% amongst the holders of the Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares rateably according to the amounts paid up thereon and as to 60% thereof amongst the holders of the Deferred Shares rateably according to the amounts paid up thereon.

The undermentioned Bankers are authorised by the Company to receive at their Head Offices and Branches applications for

400,000 8% Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares of 10/- each at par and 400,000 Deferred Shares of 1/- each at par,

PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:

	Participating Preferred Ordinary	Deferred
On Application	2/6 ...	1/-
On Allotment	2/6	
On or before the 15th day of January, 1929	5/-	

Applicants for Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares may apply for and will have allotted to them one Deferred Share in respect of every Participating Preferred Ordinary Share applied for and allotted to them. **Applications for Deferred Shares only will not be considered.**

The Directors are aware of applications for 124,000 shares of each class, which will be allotted in full.

Directors.

BERTRAM S. STRAUS, J.P. (Chairman, Virol Limited), Chairman
Sir BASIL CLARKE (Chairman and Governing Director of Editorial Services Limited)
S. C. MAGENNIS (Director, Bessler, Waechter & Company Limited)
ERNEST T. P. NEATHERCOAT, C.B.E., J.P. (Chairman, Savory & Moore (1928) Limited)
ALFRED ERNEST HOLT, J.P. (Chairman, Founders Trust & Investment Company Limited)

Bankers.

WESTMINSTER BANK LIMITED. MIDLAND BANK LIMITED.
41 Lothbury, London, E.C.2 and Branches. 5 Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.2 and Branches

Solicitors.

For the Issue—BIDDLE, THORNE, WELSFORD & GAITT 22 Aldermanbury, E.C.2.
For the Company—CONSTANT & CONSTANT, 24 St. Mary Axe, E.C.3.
For the Vendor—CHURCHILL, CLAPHAM & CO., 1 Broad Street Place, E.C.2.

Auditors.

MORTON, MOLLER, SHEEN & CO., Chartered Accountants, Capel House, New Broad Street, London, E.C.2.

Brokers.

CHARLES STANLEY & SONS, 29 Cornhill, London, E.C.3, and Stock Exchange
CLARK, PEACOCK & CO., 9 Mount Stuart Square, Cardiff, and Stock Exchange.

Secretary and Registered Offices.

C. G. WARELAM, A.C.A., Adelaide House, London, E.C.4.

Registration and Transfer Office.

FOUNDERS TRUST & INVESTMENT COMPANY LIMITED, Lincoln House, High Holborn, W.C.1.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

OBJECTS. The Company has been formed with the objects stated in the Memorandum of Association, and in particular to develop and extend the sale throughout the world of Radium water and medicinal and other preparations to be made from Radium deposits.

The Company acquires, on particularly favourable terms, a concession to operate (1) the "Balneario Radium" (Radium Spa) at Serra da Pena, Beira Baixa, Portugal, with its medicinal radium springs, and the Sanatorium for the accommodation and use of guests taking curative treatment at the springs; (2) concessions granted by the Government of Portugal giving the right to develop neighbouring radio-active springs; (3) a plant for bottling the radium waters; (4) two licences granted by the Government of Portugal in respect of uranium (radio-active) deposits.

RADIUM SPRINGS. The reports of eminent doctors constitute convincing proof that these Radio-active waters have remarkable curative virtues. The Medical Officer of the district certifies that amongst local inhabitants cases of cancer and obesity are unknown. It is believed that the sale of this water will raise the standard of health wherever it is drunk.

Analysis shows that the waters from the springs are extensively radio-active and that the spring known as Curie I contains a great quantity of emanation in solution through contact with radio-active substances and by the dissolution of radio-active emanations (gaseous substances). The waters from this spring retain their radio-activity, whilst water from springs containing only radium emanations is not suitable for export on account of the rapid destruction and loss of the emanations. The sanatorium of about forty acres includes a fine building of granite with accommodation for about 120 guests. The climate is admirably suited for a Sanatorium. The heat is not oppressive in Summer, and the Winters are mild and pleasant. The district is one of striking beauty and historic interest. The present owner states that he has expended over £150,000 in connection with the property. The purchase price is £65,000: £15,000 payable in cash and the balance in Deferred shares. The profits are estimated at £250,000 for the first year, £150,000 for the second, and £275,000 per annum thereafter. The subscription list will open on Monday, and applicants should use the form attached to the prospectus in this issue.

RADIUM. Radium is one of Nature's greatest vitalizers. It stimulates the cells of the glands of the body to perform their normal functions and to exert extra force in combating disease. The use of radium in the past has been restricted in consequence of its excessive cost and great scarcity. The most efficient application of radium is internally and in the form of radio-active water. The following advantages, inestimable from the point of view of health, have been claimed by authoritative medical opinion for radio-active water:—

Elimination of uric acid from the system, with prevention and cure of gout and rheumatism; the prevention of obesity; tonic for and cleanser of the blood and skin; prevention of the hardening of arteries and arterio-sclerosis; rejuvenation of the system; removal of the ill effects of alcohol or tobacco; prevention and cure of neuralgia and insomnia; stimulation and invigoration of the heart.

OTHER RADIO-ACTIVE PRODUCTS. The radium substance (or "mud") found near the springs is of great medicinal value. It has been examined and tested for Radio-activity at the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington and is certified to contain the equivalent of 3020 Mache Units of Radium per kilo, which makes it extremely valuable for "mud" baths, packings and for compresses in the treatment of all rheumatic ailments and many skin diseases. It is also very beneficial for the preparation of soap, bath powders and other pharmaceutical products.

REPORTS. The following information is extracted from the Report of the celebrated authority, Dr. Carl Von Noorden, of Frankfort a/M., made as a result of a personal visit to the Radium Spa: "**The water of the spring Curie I is wonderfully clear and agreeable to take . . . . A great virtue of the spring Curie I is that, besides the radium emanations, it also contains real salts of radium in solution. One litre of water from the spring Curie I, contains about 1,200 times more radium element than one kilo of the human body, or about 190 times more than in the whole body of a person weighing 11 stone. A certain part of the radium absorbed in the body through drinking the water (Curie I) is soon given off, but the rest remains 'fixed' in the body for a long time and is only given off very slowly. Thus, through drinking the water a small stock of radium is stored up in the body and remains active there for a long time. This is not possible, or at least only to a very small extent, and imperfectly, with water containing only emanations.**

Professor Charles Lepierre (Professor Instituto Superior Tecnico, Lisbon, Member Academy of Science, Lisbon, Professor Curso de Hydrologia, Member Société de Chimie of France, Chevalier Legion d'Honneur, France, Commendador Order of S. Tiago, Portugal), who has made numerous experiments and tests with water from these springs, says:—"**1. The water 'Curie I' is highly radio-active. 2. Its radio-activity is due not only to the emanation of radium, but also to the presence of salts of dissolved radium. The quantity of emanation discovered is twice as great as that of the Luso water, which is the richest in emanation of any of the Portuguese waters explored up to the present. Moreover, the Luso water does not contain radium in solution, and of all the waters discovered, only the Almieira water shows the presence of this element and then only in imperfect quantities. The water 'Curie I' is, therefore, most remarkable from the point of view of radio-activity.**"

A well-known Harley Street Physician has inspected the property and has reported as follows:—"**Since my return to London in December last I have used the 'Radium Water' and the 'Mud' in the treatment of many ailments with remarkable results, and I hope you will do everything possible to make this water and 'Mud' known to the medical profession. I am confident that it will, if universally used, increase the standard of health and the resisting powers of the body against diseases . . . . I have also used the 'Mud' as mentioned above for joint and skin cases, and believe nothing could be better. The Radium Water, when mixed with medicines, seems to increase their efficacy very considerably. It has a very marked effect on all forms of kidney diseases and liver complaints, as well as on all forms of diseases of the mucous membranes, and it stimulates all the pelvic organs to function lustily, while, if mixed with milk, it makes this more digestive, which is of inestimable value for all children and invalids.**"

Mr. Waldron Smithers, M.P., writes:—"**I visited the Balneario Radium in December, 1927, and thoroughly investigated the property and the springs. I was very impressed with their possibilities and feel from the standpoint of national health that these waters should be made available for the British public.**"

THE SANATORIUM. The property of about 40 acres includes a magnificent building of granite with accommodation for about 120 guests. The climate is admirably suited for a Sanatorium. The heat is not oppressive in Summer, and the Winters are mild and pleasant. The district is one of striking beauty and historic interest. The present owner states that he has expended over £150,000 in connection with the property.

PRODUCTION PROGRAMME. A new bottling plant with a capacity of six million bottles (imperial pints) per year will be installed, together with a radio-active powder (mud) plant and factory with a capacity of approximately one million kilo. yearly and the furniture and equipment for the sanatorium, laboratory, etc., will be completed. It is estimated that the above factories will be erected, the plant installed, and the sanatorium equipment completed within six months of the date of commencing work. The cost of these installations is estimated not to exceed £30,000.

Medicinal and Table Waters. The following well-known firms have expressed their desire to market these products in Great Britain:—**Hooper, Struve & Co., Ltd., Ingram & Royle, Ltd., Jewsbury & Brown, Ltd., R. Ellis & Son, Ltd., and R. Fry & Co., Ltd., and offers have also been received from the following firms:—France—Office Commercial "Pharmaceutique," 71 Rue du Temple, Paris; Belgium—Pharmacie Centrale de Belgique, Brussels; Holland—Handelmaatschappy, L. Acker, Rotterdam; America, these products are already being marketed by Caria Water Corporation, 225 West 34th Street, New York.**

Other Radio-Active Preparations. Messrs. Savory & Moore, Ltd., the eminent Manufacturing Chemists, have entered into a Contract to produce and distribute in Great Britain and elsewhere certain pharmaceutical preparations presenting the radio-active medicament in a variety of forms adapted to meet the requirements of the medical profession. This arrangement will enable the Company to put its products on the market quickly and avoid the expense and delay of establishing a manufacturing plant.

Soap and Bath Powder. Considerable importance is attached to the manufacture of a medicated Soap and Bath Powder. As the radio-active properties of these preparations are communicated to the water, and the bathe is taken, these preparations provide a most convenient method of external treatment. Soap proposed to be manufactured has been tested for radio-activity at the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington and is certified to result in an activity equivalent to 280 Mache units of Radium per kilo.

TERMS OF CONCESSION. The Concession granted by Contract is for 99 years and covers the output of medicinal and table waters, and all other products from the property, together with possession and use of the Sanatorium and equipment with existing plant and machinery. Under the terms of the Concession royalties of 1d. per bottle (imperial pint) and 4d. per dozen tablets of soap sold are payable to the Owner. The sum of £35,000 is payable to the Owner in advance of such royalties against delivery of the lease and licence and possession of the properties. The Contract with the Owner also provides for the termination of these royalties at any time within three years on payment of the sum of £500,000 plus the cost of all transfer expenses, in which case the Sanatorium and the Concessions become the absolute property of the Company.

PURCHASE CONSIDERATION. Under Contract with the Iberian Trust Limited, of Adelaide House, E.C.4, the benefit of the above-mentioned Contract with the Owner will be assigned to the Company for a consideration of £65,000, payable as to £15,000 in cash and £50,000 by the allotment of 2,000,000 Deferred Shares in the Company, credited as fully paid.

WORKING CAPITAL. After providing for registration, underwriting and the costs of this issue, the equipment of the factories and sanatorium, the advance payment on account of royalties and the Vendor's cash consideration, the Directors estimate that there will be available as Working Capital and for general purposes of the Company about £101,000.

ESTIMATED PROFITS. The following information is extracted from a Report to the Directors by Mr. George H. Butterworth, M.Inst.M.M., Mining Engineer and Metallurgical Chemist, after a careful examination and consideration of the available reports, information, and details of the business, and proposed development programme.

"With the full development of the programme intended to be put into operation (which programme I consider practical one) I estimate the following profits:—

(1) That the Company's working profit from the two Plants and the Sanatorium will be within three years **£275,000 per annum,** made up as follows:—

(a) **From the Bottling Plant, 6,000,000 bottles**	£150,000
(b) **From Radio-Active Powder (Mud) Plant,** powder used for the manufacture of Radio-Active Soap, and for medicinal purposes	£100,000
(c) **Sanatorium** with Radium Water and Mud Baths to yield to the Company an annual profit of	£25,000
Total	£275,000

(2) That on the above basis during the **First Year** of operation, construction, preliminary work, and organising is to be done and I do not estimate the profit in excess of say **£50,000,** rising to **£150,000** for the **Second Year,** and **thereafter £275,000** per annum (as above).

My estimates are calculated upon what I believe to be a sound and conservative basis, and due allowance made for breakage, wastage, etc., to arrive at a result easy of achievement."

The 400,000 Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares of the present issue have been underwritten. The preliminary expenses (exclusive of underwriting and over-riding commissions, brokerage, ad valorem duty on contract for sale, registration fees and Capital duty) are estimated at £19,750 and are payable by the Company. The Capital duty and registration fees amount to £5,050 15s. 0d.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and of the Contracts, Analyses, and Reports, may be seen at the offices of Constant & Constant, 24 St. Mary Axe, London, E.C.3 (the Solicitors for the Company), at any time during business hours prior to the closing of the list.

Full Prospectuses, upon the terms of which applications will be received, and Application Forms may be obtained from the Registered Office of the Company and from its Bankers, Solicitors, and Brokers, and from the offices of Founders Trust and Investment Company Limited, Lincoln House, High Holborn, London, W.C.1.

Dated 21st November, 1928.

THIS FORM MAY BE USED.

To the Directors of RADIUM SPRINGS LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN,

Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £..... being a deposit of 2/6 per Participating Preferred Ordinary } Share on application, I/we hereby request that you will
1/- per Deferred }

allot me/us ..... Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares of 10/- each and ..... Deferred Shares of 1/- each in the above-named Company, and I/we hereby agree to accept the same or any less number that may be allotted to me/us, upon the terms and conditions of the Prospectus as filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the said Company, and I/we undertake to pay the further instalments payable in respect of the Participating Preferred Ordinary Shares which may be allotted to me/us, as provided by the said Prospectus, and authorise you to register me/us as the holder(s) of the said shares.

(21)

Please Write Distinctly.

Usual Signature .....
Surname .....
(USE BLOCK CAPITALS)
Christian Name or Names .....
Address .....
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Profession or Occupation .....
(A Lady should state whether she is a Spinster, Married Woman, or Widow)

Date ..... 1928.

This form to be sent entire with the deposit on the number of Shares applied for to WESTMINSTER BANK LIMITED, 41 Lothbury, London, E.C.2, or any of its Branches; or MIDLAND BANK LIMITED, 5 Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.2, or to any of its Branches.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN LARGELY STAGNANT.

GUINNESS BRISK AND HIGHER.

The week-end market was very quiet practically all day, and in all directions, but the large support offered for Guinness Ord. Shares from one particular quarter turned the price upwards after a good deal of substantial, but scattered, realisations had been accommodated at the initial price, 41¾. Later 41¾, and then 41¾, was paid and bid. Marconi 10s. Ord. Shares were a trifle lower, but a sensational gain of 12s. was established for Canadian Shares, and Spanish and General Corporation, in the same line, were lifted several shillings in sympathy. Courtaulds and Margarines went further ahead. Government National Loans closed firm, and British Funds were undecided. Dublin Corporation issues and Rathmines and Rathgar Township Stock were firmer. Banks were rather idle all day. Grand Canal Ord. were in request at a higher price. Home Rails were idle and dull again. Coats opened harder, and then eased and closed lower. Courtaulds were again supported and closed at best. Margarine Shares were particularly firm. Lever Brothers 7 p.c. Pref. closed on offer. Leading Tobaccos show improvements, especially British-Americans. Chemical Shares were firm and Dunlop Rubbers dull. Chartered advanced and Burkes were steady.

LONDON STOCK MARKETS.

SOME STRONG FEATURES.

The Stock Markets, on the whole, were good in tone, with several strong features in the Industrial section.

Although Industrial issues were in good demand, more especially those influenced by Wall street, the Stock Markets were somewhat hesitant pending the bulletin concerning the King, which was issued shortly before one o'clock.

The feature was the great strength and activity of Victor Talking Machines, which moved rapidly ahead under the influence of strong American buying. The closing price is 11⅞ higher at $157½, which compares with $160 earlier in the day. Canadian Marconis were another outstanding feature, with a rise of 13s. at 53s. 6d. Columbia Graphophones were another strong feature at 15½, while Gramophones advanced ⅞. Cable Stocks appreciably better. Style and Winch good. Tobaccos firm. Mond Nickels, British-American Tobaccos, and Tate and Lyles are all appreciably better.

British Funds were steady, with little change in prices.

Amongst Home Rails Great Westerns and Berwick Deferred were ¼ stronger. Overseas Rails show little change. Peruvian Corporation Pref. continued very firm.

Rubbers and Oils maintained; little doing.

Tins unsettled, though price of metal was nearly a pound higher on first call-over.

In Mines Diamonds were firmer, notably De Beers at 12 on the past year's results. N'Changa and Tintos were good. Cam and Motors dull on Cape selling.

RADIUM SPRINGS, LTD.

The Westminster Bank and the Midland Bank will receive applications for 400,000 8 p.c. Participating Preferred-Ordinary shares of 10s. each at par and 400,000 Deferred shares of 1s. each (out of a total of 2,000,000) in Radium Springs, Ltd. The Participating Preferred shares get 40 p.c. of distributable profits after the 8 p.c. is paid, and the Deferred get 60 p.c. Applications for Deferred shares alone will not be entertained, but applicants will get one Deferred share for every Preferred-Ordinary share applied for and allotted. The company has been formed to develop and extend the sale throughout the world of radium water and medicinal and other preparations to be made from radium deposits. The company acquires on favourable terms a concession to operate (1) the "Balneario Radium" (radium spa) at Serra da Pena, Beira Baixa, Portugal, with its medicinal radium springs, and the sanatorium for the accommodation and use of guests taking curative treatment at the springs; (2) concessions granted by the Government of Portugal giving the right to develop neighbouring radio-active springs; (3) a plant for bottling the radium waters; (4) two licences granted by the Government of Portugal in respect of uranium (radio-active) deposits. The reports of eminent doctors constitute convincing proof that these radio-active waters have remarkable curative virtues. The medical officer of the district certifies that amongst local inhabitants cases of cancer and obesity and unknown. It is believed that the sale of this water will raise the standard of health wherever it is drunk. Analysis shows that the waters from the springs are extensively radio-active and that the spring known as Curie I contains a great quantity of radium in solution through contact with radio-active substances and by the dissolution of radio-active emanations (gaseous substances). The waters from this spring retain their radio-activity, whilst water from springs containing only radium emanations is not suitable for export on account of the rapid destruction and loss of the emanations. The sanatorium of about forty acres includes a fine building of granite with accommodation for about 120 guests. The climate is admirably suited for a sanatorium. The heat is not oppressive in summer, and the winters are mild and pleasant. The district is one of striking beauty and historic interest. The present owner states that he has expended over £150,000 in connection with the property. The purchase price is £65,000: £15,000 payable in cash and the balance in Deferred shares. The profits are estimated at £250,000 for the first year, £150,000 for the second, and £275,000 per annum thereafter. The subscription list will open on Monday, and applicants should use the form attached to the prospectus in this issue.

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SUNBEAM ART SILK.

The directors of Sunbeam Art Silk, in a circular, state that the original contracts provisionally entered into with the Portland Hosiery Manufacturing Company were varied. More advantageous terms were secured by acquiring a controlling interest in the Portland Hosiery Manufacturing Company by the purchase of 63,302 shares out of a total of 72,500. With the funds in hand the board is now in a position to increase the output to the full capacity of the existing plant, from 60,000 dozen at present manufactured to approximately 150,000 dozen pairs of women's stockings and men's half hose per annum. The directors, furthermore, announce that they have acquired a process for the embroidery of all classes of textiles, which can be used for both cotton and silk materials.

RAND RESULTS.

The cable issued by the Transvaal Chamber of Mines supplementary to its monthly output and labour statistics gives the estimated working profits of the mines of the Witwatersrand district for October at £1,092,162, and of the outside districts at £49,743—a total of £1,141,905. This shows an increase of £50,639 upon the result for the preceding month, or more than would be accounted for by the additional working day. Compared with the total for October, 1927, there is an expansion of £40,125.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

MARCONI "SUBSIDIARIES" SOAR. "BATS," COURTAULDS AND MARGARINES STRONG.

Government National 5 per cent. Sterling repeated 99½, and the Second 5 per cent. Loan 98½, while Land Bonds 4½ per cent. rose ¼ further to 93½ x.d.

In British Funds, War Loan 5 per cent. shaded ⅛ at the close at 101⅛-¼, but India 3½ per cent. rose ¼ to 71.

In Corporation, etc., issues, Dublin 3½ per cent. realised 77½ and the new 5 per cent. Stock 97½, but Rathmines and Rathgar Township 3½ per cent. rose ¼ to 61½.

In Banks, Provincials rose ¼ to 27½, while Munster and Leinsters repeated 6¾.

Among Breweries, Guinness Ordinary were much firmer in tone and price, and closed ¼ higher at 41¾, after all offered at 41¾. ¾ had been absorbed. J. Power and Son Pref. repeated 15s. 6d.

Grand Canal Ord. rose 1s. to 78s.

Marconi (10s.) Shares realised 79s., 9s. 3d., a fall of 3d., but Canadian Marconi rose 12s. to 52s. and Spanish and General Corporation 4s. to 29s.

In Rails, Great Southern Ord. repeated 15½ and the Pref. 36, but the Debs. fell ½ further to 58.

In Drapery Shares, Cannocks repeated 74s.

Alliance Gas repeated 9½.

Among Manufacturing Shares, Coats fell 3d. to 65s. 3d. for cash, after dealing at 66s., 65s. 9d., but Courtaulds rose 9d. to 88s. 9d., 89s. Imperial Tobaccos rose 3d. to 131s. 9d., "Bats" 1s. 6d. to 123s. 6d., and Margarine Shares 1s. 9d. to 50s., 50s. 9d. Imperial Chemicals repeated 39s. 9d., and the Deferred rallied 3d. to 14s. 7½d. Lever Bros 7 per cent. Pref. were the turn easier at 23s., 3d., 23s. 1½d. Dunlop Rubber Ord. remain dull at 25s., and Thwaites Pref. repeated 55s.

In Trading, etc., E. and J. Burke Ord repeated 41s. 6d., and the Pref. rose 1½d. to 61s. 9d. Tobacco Investment Trust hardened 3d. to 67s. 9d., and Irish-American Oil Pref. were firm at 23s. 6d. Chartered rose 1s. to 31s. 1½d.

Other business done included Anti-Dazzle Screens of Canada, at 2s. 5½d., 2s. 5d.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS:

Nat. Loan	(99¼) 99⅜	Cannock	(74/-) 74/-
Second Loan	(98⅛) 98⅛	B.A.S.	(132/-) 123.6
Land Bonds	(93¼) 93⅜	Imp. Tob.	(131/6) 131/9
5% War Loan	(101½) 101⅝ ⅜	Tobac. Secs. Ord.	67/9
India 3½	(70½) 71	Coats	(65/9) 66/- 5/9 5/6c
Dublin 3½	(77) 77½c	Courtaulds	(88/3) 88/9 9/-
Do. New 5%	(97¼) 97½c	Chemicals	(39/9) 39/9
Rathmines Stock	...61¼	Do. Def.	(14/4½) 14/7½
Mun. & Lein. Bank	...64	Anti-Dazzles (Canada)	2/5½ 2/5
Provincial	(27½) 27¾	Dunlops	(25/-) 25/-
Guinness	(41¾) 41¾ ¼	Lever 7%	(23/3) 23/5
Power Pref.	(13/6) 13/6	Margarine Union	(49/-) 50/- 50/9
Canal Ord.	(77/-) 78/-	Thwaites Ord.	(55/-) 55/-
Marconi	(79/6) 79/- 9/3	Burke Ord.	(41/6) 41/6
Do. Canada	52/-	Do. Pref.	(61/7½) 61/9
Spanish & General	29/-	Chartered	(30/14) 31/1½
G.S. Ord.	(151) 153	Irish-American Oil	23/6
Do. Pref.	(56) 56		
Do. Deb.	(58½) 58		
Alliance Gas	(9½) 9⅛		

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate	5½%
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	4½%
Deposits under £500	2½%
Deposits of £500 and over	2½%

The rates in the foregoing table, which are those at present in force, are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Dec. 3	Dec. 17
Mining ticket	Dec. 4	Dec. 18
General ticket	Dec. 5	Dec. 19
Account day	Dec. 6	Dec. 20

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange firm. 5 per cent. War Loan changed hands at 101¾ and 101¼, 2½ per cent. Consols at 56, 3½ per cent. Conversion Loan at 78⅞, Local Loans at 65½, and Ulster Loan at 93½. Bank Shares were idle and unaltered. In Industrials, J. and P. Coats were done at 66s. A small odd lot of Forster Greens was done at 5½. Dunlop Rubbers were dealt in at 25s., Imperial Tobacco Ord. at 131s. 3d. and 131s. 6d., Tobacco Securities Trust Ord. at 68s. 9d., Imperial Chemical Ord. at 39s. 6d., International Bitumen at 15s. 3d. and 14s. 10½d., and Tate and Lyle Ord. at 44s. 6d.

BELFAST LINEN TRADE.

ENCOURAGING REPORT.

The market report of the Irish Linen Society for the fortnight ending 21st November states:—

Flax.—Irish—The markets have been well supplied since last report. Demand has been keen for all classes of fibre, and prices for lower qualities are firmer. Courtrai—Supplies are still restricted, but it is anticipated that large quantities will now be offered for sale. Lower qualities of flax have advanced in price, but medium and better qualities remain firm. Soviet—It is estimated that at least 7,000 tons have been sold for December-January-February shipment, and the Russians are now holding for about £10 per ton above the first sales. The bulk of this has been sold to French spinners. This business has caused flax in all countries to be appreciably firmer.

Yarns.—The situation has quite changed during the past fortnight. Orders have been placed for what might be regarded as large quantities, especially when compared with the rather retail fashion in which business had been conducted for some time past. The demand has covered all classes, both in tow and line yarns. Merchants have bought freely, and manufacturers have responded to the improvement. Prices, needless to say, have tended upwards, but spinners gave every facility to business in parting with stocks, which now stand at a level much below normal, and have sold ahead to a moderate extent. It must be borne in mind that the prices at which this business has been placed are by no means satisfactory to spinners, who would require an advance to cover even the present prices of flax. Of course, their further action has been governed by the strong tone of the flax market. The result is that they are in a comfortable position as regards stocks and orders for some time to come. A number of mills which had temporarily closed down have resumed work.

Weavers.—There has been a distinct turn for the better in the trade. The firmness in yarns has brought out considerable orders, the position looking better, as far as quantity is concerned, than for a considerable time. Demand is not being experienced equally by all sections of the trade, but the whole position is very much healthier. We again have to record the unsatisfactory rates at which business has been booked, and an end must come to the uneconomic prices that have been and are being taken.

Merchants.—There appears to be little more demand for housekeeping goods, except in the finer damask cloths and napkins, but quantities of these are naturally small. In the cambric and sheer end, the fact of the election being now settled seems to have stimulated business and given buyers more confidence to place orders. There is every indication that as the demand increases the prices are likely to harden. Dress Linens—There has been a moderate amount of new business placed for various markets. Some of the inquiries mentioned in our last report have resulted in orders, but buyers do not appear to have confidence to operate as largely as could be desired, although prices accepted have been on an exceedingly low basis.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BERNARD HUGHES, LTD.—10 per cent. per annum and a bonus of 6d. per share, together 1/6 per Ord. Share. (Same.) £2,000 to renewals and £5,911 forward.

CENTRAL PORTLAND CEMENT.—The directors of the Central Portland Cement Company have declared a final dividend of 10 per cent., making 15 per cent. for the year. (Company was formed in 1916 and was made public in 1927.)

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Money fairly comfortable at 3½; short and three months' bills, 4⅜; New York cable, 4.85⅛; Montreal, 3.84⅛; Paris, 124.10; Brussels, 34.89; Berlin, 20.35.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Austin, 14/9; do. Pref., 9/6; Crossleys, 6/9; S.T.D., 5/3; Enfield, 23/-; Guys, 25/3; Humber, 19/6; Lucas, 83/3; Maudslay, 25/4½; Leyland, 25/6; Napier, 51/-; Rolls, 42/6; Rovers, 8/7½; Rudges, 7/9; Singers, 36/6; Standards, 8/10½; Triumphs, 15/4½; Dunlops, 25/-.

MANCHESTER. — Textiles a steady market. Moderate recovery in Fine Spinners. Bleachers, 35/-35/6; Calicos, 27/9-28/-; Dyers, 43/-44/-; Cottons, 53/6-54/6; Spinners, 43/-45/6; "Slubbers," 7/3-7/6; Coats, 66/-66/6; Velvets, 27/-28/-; Courtaulds, 87/6-90/-; Dunlops, 24/9-25/3; Nuera Silk, 36/3; do. Def., 28/6; Celanese, 36/3; do, Pref., 15/6; Turner and Newall, 90/-.

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FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

THE VALUE OF SEARS.

Although amalgamations are desirable in many instances, the markets seem invariably to discount possibilities. The directors of J. Sears and Co., Ltd., bootmakers, of Northampton, intended to issue Pref. shares as a bonus, but they have had an offer for the business, so they are not proceeding with the bonus distribution at present. Sears Ord. shares were quoted at 6¾; the announcement that purchase negotiations were in progress has been responsible for the quotation being advanced to 8. This seems a very high price, notwithstanding that the business is probably quite the best of its kind. Even a buyer is expected to make a profit, so if he is prepared to bid the market price it means that he will be wanting more than £8 per share from the public, for presumably he has reflection in mind. A sale is advised on the basis that holders are unlikely to get more in any event, while there is always the possibility of negotiations breaking down.

NEW PROCESS IN ART SILK.

If the claims made for a new process of manufacturing and bleaching and dyeing artificial silk are substantiated its discoverers who are described as Lancashire men working near Bury—will be able to say that they have done something to revolutionise the production of this material and to benefit all concerned in the use of it. It is known as the Brandwood Process (says the *Manchester Guardian*), and is described as "a continuously rapid process" in which the old steps, or grades, are reduced from fourteen to eight, and the time necessary for completion from seventy-two hours to seven. The saving in time and handling will, it is anticipated, be equal to about one half of the value of the material. The new process eliminates altogether the necessity for the skein, the different steps in the process being all done on a bobbin of special construction. Mr. Andrew Clark, of Glasgow, Chairman of the International Silk Company, Ltd., claims for the new processes the following advantages:—They reduce production costs by 50 per cent., nearly double the percentage of first quality output, eliminate loss in sale of inferior qualities, thereby reducing still further the rates of cost in producing the grade. A quality in universal demand; reduce the time of process in manufacture at least 50 per cent., require less plant and equipment. Through the International Silk Company, the Atlas Artificial Silk Processes, Ltd., have acquired the British rights of the Brandwood Processes, and the latter company have acquired the Wood Mills Company's premises at Littleborough, where they propose to put the processes into early operation. It is expected that as a beginning about 1,000 workpeople will be employed.

HUGE ARTSILK MERGER.

A highly important development in the international artificial silk industry, involving the probable merging of interests in leading artificial silk companies throughout the world, was announced in New York in the formation, under important banking auspices, of a new corporation with immense financial backing, which is to be called the associated Rayon Corporation. The new combine, which has a total authorised capital of $40,000,000 of 6 per cent. Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock and 2,000,000 Common Shares of no par value, is acquiring substantial interests, it is understood, in a number of leading artificial silk companies of world-wide repute, including the Vereinigte Glanzstoff and Bemberg Companies of Germany, the Enka Company of Holland, and Snia Viscosa of Italy. Of the total capital, 20,000,000 Preferred Stock and 1,200,000 Common Shares are to be issued shortly in the international markets. It is understood that Messrs. Speyer and Co. and Lehman Brothers will offer the securities in New York; Messrs. Lazard, Speyer and Ellissen in Berlin and Frankfurt; and Teixeira de Mattos Brothers in Amsterdam.

VICTOR TALKING TO BE ABSORBED BY RADIO.

Victor Talking Machine Common Stock was the leading feature during Thursday's session of the New York Stock Exchange and rose to 156, an advance of 20 points, while during mid-afternoon trading the stock was quoted at 151, on rumours that the deal with the Radio Corporation of America is nearing consummation. Interests identified with the two companies stated that the conversations were still progressing, but the completion of the deal was no nearer than before. However, the quality and volume of the buying indicated that the denials were technical. It is rumoured that officials of the companies will meet to-day, with the possibility that the deal will be completed then. Wall Street hears that the Radio Corporation of America will absorb the Victor Talking Machine Company by offering an exchange of shares in the rat

FREER CHOICE OF STUDIES.

TOO MUCH COMPULSION IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

PRIZE DAY AT DUBLIN HIGH SCHOOL.

A plea that the Free State Government should take representatives of educational interests into consultation on the question of the place of Irish language teaching in the secondary schools was made by two speakers at the High School, Harcourt street, Dublin, yesterday.

At the invitation of the Chairman and Governors of the School, a large attendance of the public patronised the annual distribution of prizes to the pupils and heard the first report for the year 1927-28 of the new headmaster, Mr. John Bennett, M.A.

The Bishop of Cashel, Chairman of the Board of Governors, presided, and, in the course of his address, said that it was the duty of the Government to ascertain what were the views of the people on the question of compulsory Irish. "Why not discuss this question with representative members of the various bodies affected, experts in education, and so on?"

Mr. John Bennett, the new headmaster, said—Could the Department of Education not be induced to appoint a representative committee, including particularly the universities, to consider the whole question of compulsory requirements of studies? Mr. Bennett explained that he looked on compulsory Irish in the same light as compulsion in any other subject, and he desired greater freedom of choice.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

HEADMASTER'S OPINIONS ON COMPULSION.

Mr. Bennett, in his report, paid a high tribute to his predecessor, Mr. Thompson, whose personality and honesty of purpose made him a leader in every assembly of men. He (Mr. Benentt) had worked under Mr. Thompson here for over six years, and he knew that all the staff had a respect and liking for him which grew with time.

The report went on to say that in the examination in religious knowledge held last December under the joint direction of the Church of Ireland and the Presbyterian Assembly, the school presented 142 candidates. Of these, 135 passed and 79 gained prizes. This was by far the largest number of prizes ever won by the school. In Greek Testament the school obtained for the fourth year in succession the silver medal for first place in the Church of Ireland examination. This year it was won by A. T. Breakey. In the Presbyterian examinations, for the fourth year in succession, the school gained the first place in Greek Testament, and a special prize of £1, the winner being H. M. Glover.

A close scrutiny of the results show the soundness of the general work of the school. Passes, Honours or other distinctions have been gained by the majority of candidates in such a range of subjects as the following:—Religious knowledge, English, Irish, Greek, Latin, French, German, mathematics (including arithmetic, algebra, geometry and trigonometry), science, history, geography and commerce.

We owe our best thanks, the report continued, to the French Government and to Monsieur Blanche, the Consul-General, for the splendid prizes which they have again presented to the school. The prizes are awarded to T. N. Richardson and D. T. Bardon, who obtained the highest marks in French in the leaving certificate and the Intermediate certificate examinations. We are very grateful also to Mr. R. P. Rogers for the prize which he has founded in memory of his son, who died while he was a pupil at the school. The present holder is G. R. Mahon.

The record of our entrance examination to Trinity College last autumn is most satisfactory. The school gained four exhibitions out of a total of fourteen, the highest number ever won by the school; only one other school winning as many as two. The second place and the High School exhibition of £25 a year for four years was won by D. M. Mitchell.

THE PRINCIPLE OF COMPULSION.

I should like to acknowledge the great improvements made in secondary education by the present Department, and their unfailing courtesy in meeting any reasonable requests from the schools. They have greatly improved the whole system of higher education by allowing the schools to choose their own courses and follow their own methods of instruction. This being so, I have never been able to understand why they retain the principle of compulsion in prescribing subjects of study. I am not now talking of compulsory Irish, which I look on in the same light as compulsion in any other subject. Personally, I have no doubt that I would have derived as much good from irish as from some of the other subjects which I was compelled to do at school and college.

Compulsion in higher education is wrong. All boys have not the same intellectual tendencies, and the teachers alone can decide in individual cases. The aim of the systems of education elsewhere is to give increasing freedom. If I had time, I could give you examples of this, and, amongst others, a remarkable attempt which is being made in Australia, not only to give the schools freedom, but to accept their internal examinations instead of external tests. The universities are co-operating, and the experiment is proving successful. In the Free State the compulsory subjects to obtain an Intermediate Certificate are: Irish, English, history, geography, mathematics (including arithmetic, algebra, geometry and trigonometry) and one other subject. There is little time left for anything else. For years past I have had to take boys daily outside of their regular classes to go subjects which this incubus of compulsion made impossible in school time.

No country in Europe would allow its higher education to achieve the result of crowding out all other European languages, as is happening in the Free State to-day. A generation is growing up here in such isolation that they will have no real understanding of any other country in Europe; for you cannot understand a people unless you know their language.

Could the Department of Education not be induced to appoint a representative committee, including particularly the universities, to consider the whole question? I can hardly think that there is any educationist in the country who would not welcome freedom for the schools to choose their subjects of study.

THE NEW HEADMASTER.

The prizes (all books) having been distributed,

The Chairman said that this time last year they had met here to say good-bye to Mr. Thompson, who had done so much splendid work for many years in this school. To-day they offered a very hearty welcome to his successor, Mr. Bennett. Mr. Bennett did not come to them as a stranger: they had happy recollections of him as a classical master in the High School. As governor of the Grammar School, Sligo, he also had knowledge of Mr. Bennett's fine services there. The governors of the High School had now shown the value which they attached to his past work by appointing him to this very responsible position, and they would all join in wishing him a most successful future in his new sphere of work.

It was a happy fact that now in the educational life of Ireland the governing bodies of all schools were showing a much keener desire to co-operate with the teaching staffs of their schools in all matters relating to education than was the case in former days. This method had been productive of much good, and would do more in the near future. The governors of this school looked upon themselves as staunch friends both of the masters and the pupils, and would always be most willing to advance their interests in every way that was open to them.

The educational record for the past year was very striking, and it reflected upon both teachers and pupils the greatest credit. Few schools in Ireland had ever reached a higher rank, especially in classical education, and it was hoped that under the new headmaster this marked proficiency would be maintained. In athletics there had been a most creditable record, and the governors were providing means for further physical development. The general tone of the school was, in the opinion of the governors, perfectly satisfactory.

A vigorous effort had been made to comply with the Government's requirements regarding the Irish language, and at the same time to ensure that the time expended should not prevent other subjects from receiving attention in proportion to their importance. That would continue to be done, and they hoped for success.

THE STUDY OF IRISH.

Regarding the general question of how far extreme compulsion should be applied to the Irish language, he had already expressed his own personal views from this place, and it was necessary now to express them again. It was not now a question for individuals, but for the educational and denominational bodies affected.

"If they are satisfied," continued his lordship, "then it is our duty to work most loyally for the end they approve of; but we should look for clear and explicit guidance from them. The only point I would press is this—that similarly it is the duty of the Government to ascertain what are the views of the people generally. It is said that, if the Government pay, they have a right to control the education which is given. This is, in my view, unreasonable. The taxpayer pays, and surely it is perfectly reasonable that he should be asked what are his views about a matter which vitally affects himself and his family. There is, undoubtedly, a point beyond which pressure cannot be applied. In plain terms, undue pressure defeats the very object for which it is applied. I think there will be very general agreement that Irishmen do not require to be taught patriotism. The Creator intended that we should love our country when He made it so beautiful, and we do love it. We do not require to have our profound appreciation stimulated; and I honestly do not think that the Government are wise in forcing the pace in the way they are doing.

"Rules and regulations cannot increase the power of a boy's will, nor deepen affection for a particular pursuit, and both the will and affection are required in order that the true object in view may be achieved.

PLEA FOR DISCUSSION.

"It has been repeatedly stated that we admit the claim of the Free State to train its people in Irish ideals, and we are quite willing to fall in with that view as far as we can, and all we ask for is the element of co-operation. Why should the Government not discuss this question with representative members of the various bodies affected, experts in education, etc.? I think it would be found that an agreement would be arrived at on the chief qualifications that are common to all—deep and abiding love of the country in which we live." (Applause.)

The Rev. Dr. Luce, in a brief address, dwelt upon the value of athletics in education. "Our cardinal principle," he said, "ought to be brains first and brawn second. The primary duty of the school is to produce scholars, and I do not see why we should not produce athletic scholars and scholarly athletes." The school's record in athletics was good, and he asked parents to regard the outlay on football boots as of equal importance to the outlay on books and to do both with equal cheerfulness, for if the parents pay, the boys will play. The boys that did not take part in athletics were missing an essential part of school life.

The proceedings concluded with benediction.

SERIOUS OPERATION PREVENTED AT LAST MINUTE.

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LAW REPORTS.

IRISH ART AND ARTISTS.

£12,000 TO ENCOURAGE PAINTING

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT.)

A motion in relation to a large bequest for the benefit of Irish art and artists of Irish birth living in Ireland, was listed for hearing, at the instance of the trustees of the will of Thomas Haverty, with a view to having a scheme settled for the management of the funds left by the deceased man for encouraging painting.

In the suit the plaintiff is Mrs. Mary Marcella Grennon, Rockingham, 1 Clarinda Park, North, Kingstown, the executrix of Thomas Haverty, 93 Lindsay road, Glasnevin, who made his will in 1911, and died in 1917. The Attorney-General was named as defendant in the proceedings, and on his behalf Mr. B. McGuckin (instructed by the State Solicitor) appeared.

Mr. Chas. Murphy (instructed by Mr. A. E. Walker), for the plaintiff and the executrix, moved in the matter, in which, he said, a substantial sum was involved in connection with the encouragement of the Irish art of painting and artists of Irish birth living in Ireland.

The Master asked if it would be necessary to make the President of the Royal Hibernian Academy a party to the suit.

Mr. Murphy replied that the step was being arranged. There was, he said, a sum of £9,000 in hands, but the total assets available would be value for £11,000 or £12,000. In the will the President of the Royal Hibernian Academy, the Director of the National Gallery and the Lord Mayor of Dublin were designated as the persons to manage the fund, and it was now sought to have the scheme settled.

The Master decided to refer the matter to a judge for a settlement of the scheme in his Court on Monday week.

Mr. Jellett, K.C., and Mr. Chadwick (instructed by Messrs. French and French) appeared for the President of the Royal Hibernian Academy.

SOLICITOR'S CLAIM TO A PENSION.

CONSTRUCTION OF A SECTION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

Mr. P. J. Roe (instructed by Messrs. Phelan and Co.) applied *ex parte* on behalf of Edward Phelan, solicitor, Dundalk, for an order for a writ of *mandamus* to compel the Minister for Local Government and Public Health to determine a dispute that had arisen between the Monaghan County Council and himself, and to fix the amount of his pension, pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1919.

Counsel moved on the affidavit of Mr. Phelan, from which it appeared that the applicant was appointed solicitor to the Carrickmacross Rural District Council on the 6th September, 1905, and acted as such until the Rural Council was dissolved in 1925, and its duties transferred to the Monaghan County Council. Mr. Phelan wrote to the Secretary of the Monaghan County Council and to the Clerk of the Carrickmacross Rural District Council informing them that it was not his intention to avail of Part 4 of the Local Government Act, 1925, save the exception provided by Section 43 (1) of the same Act. The Monaghan County Council did not consider the question of his pension until their meeting on the 30th April, 1928, when they fixed his pension at £20 per annum. This was much less, Mr. Phelan said, than the minimum pension to which he was entitled under the provisions of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1919.

Mr. Phelan in his affidavit referred to correspondence that had passed between him and the Secretary to the Department of Local Government regarding his appeal against the decision of the Monaghan County Council. In one of his letters he stated that under Section 8 of the 1919 Act he claimed to be entitled to a pension not greater than two-thirds of his salary, and not less than the scale in force under the Superannuation Acts, and he requested the Minister to determine the dispute that had arisen between the County Council and himself, and referred to Section 8 (1) of the Local Government Act, 1919, by which it is provided that the Minister shall determine such disputes. He read a letter from the Secretary to the Department, stating that the Minister was advised that a solicitor paid by taxed costs only was not an officer of a local body within the meaning of Section 43 of the Local Government Act, 1925, and that such a solicitor had no rights under that section. In reply to a further letter the Secretary to the Department stated that the Minister could not accept his contention that Section 43 of the Local Government Act, 1925, applied to a solicitor who was remunerated by way of taxed costs, and in support of that he referred to the proceedings in the Senate and Dail when the Local Government Act, 1925, was under discussion in the Oireachtas, stating that it was clear from the discussion that the section as it now stands was not believed to apply to solicitors.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne—Is not that a determination?

Mr. Roe—He has declined jurisdiction.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne—Does not he state that he does not come within Section 43 at all?

Mr. Roe—Under Section 8 of the 1919 Act we are entitled to have the dispute determined, and the Minister has declined to determine the dispute, because he says he is advised that a solicitor paid by taxed costs only is not an officer of a local body within the meaning of Section 43 of the Act of 1925, and has no rights under that section.

Counsel returned to Mr. Phelan's affidavit, which further stated that in a letter of the 2nd October, 1928, from the Secretary to the Department, it was stated that the Minister would have no objection if Mr. Phelan applied to the Court for a declaration as to his rights in the matter. The affidavit added that the Minister had refused to determine the dispute, and had based his refusal on a construction of Section 43 of the Act of 1925, which was founded upon the discussions that took place in the Oireachtas when that Act was under discussion, and Mr. Phelan submitted that those discussions were not matters proper or relevant to be considered by the Minister in construing the provisions of the Act.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne granted a conditional order, and directed service on the Secretary to the Department of Local Government and Public Health on behalf of the Minister and on the Secretary of Monaghan County Council.

DUNDALK WATERWORKS.

VALUATION APPEAL.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

An appeal was heard from a decision of Circuit Judge Doyle relative to the valuation of the Dundalk Waterworks. The Commissioner of Valuation had assessed the gross valuation of the waterworks at £925. The Dundalk Urban Council appealed against the assessment to the Circuit Court, where it was contended on behalf of the Council that the Commissioner of Valuation had adopted a wrong method—what was known as the "contractor's method"—in arriving at his valuation, and that he should have employed the "profits method." Judge Doyle held with this view, and made an order referring the matter back to the Commissioner of Valuation to assess the valuation on the profits method. The Commissioner appealed.

The Court now held that the Circuit Judge had acted outside his jurisdiction in referring the matter back to the Commissioner of Valuation, and they sent the case back to the Circuit Court to hear and determine the original appeal of the Urban Council pursuant to the terms of their notice of appeal, they having appealed against the amount of the assessment and not against the method.

Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. E. J. Kelly (instructed by Mr. James McCourt) were for the Urban Council; and Mr. McCann, K.C., and Mr. George O'Connor (instructed by Mr. Coll) for the Commissioner of Valuation.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Saturday, November 24.
IRISH LAND COMMISSION—Examiners' Chambers, at 35 Merrion square. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 11 o'clock—Representative Church Body (E.C. 4486), coach.

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THE MORAVIAN CHURCH.

An interesting lecture on the "Work of the Moravian Church in Czecho-Slovakia" was delivered by the Rev. C. H. Shawe, B.A., London, at the Moravian Church, Lower Kevin street, Dublin, last night.

The lecturer reviewed the work of the Church as the first Protestant Church in Europe till its virtual suppression under terrible persecution in the "Thirty Years' War," 1618 to 1648. After two hundred years it was possible to resume work in Czecho-Slovakia. Meantime, off-shoots of the Church had been established in most European countries.

A vote of thanks was passed to the lecturer, on the motion of Sir John Griffith, supported by Mr. J. F. Boydell.

THE NEW SUNSHINE SALOON.

In the motoring world, no less than in the feminine world, fashions change so quickly that the product of a few seasons ago is today looked upon almost as an antique. When the open tourer, with its excellent all-weather equipment and so comfortable to travel in, was placed on the market not so many years ago it was considered to be little short of perfect. To-day for the one open car on the road there are dozens of saloons. A further stage has been reached this season by the introduction of the Sunshine, or folding roof saloon, which is the result of the demand for a car which not only gives shelter in bad weather, but enables the occupants to gain all the joys and benefits from sunshine and open air in fine weather. There are several types of this newest thing in cars now on view in agents' premises.

The Rover Company's distributing agents, Messrs. Wilkinson, Limited, Lord Edward street, Dublin, show several types of the Sunshine saloon, in addition to the other well-known makes of Rover cars. Amongst them is the two-litre, six-cylinder car, of graceful lines and interior luxury, having wonderfully easy control and flexibility, the tax being £16 per annum. It has full pressure automatic lubrication throughout, and three-point engine suspension on rubber mounting. The roof on the Sunshine type can be folded back at will, in which position the car has all the advantages of an open tourer, with a great deal more comfort. This is known as the Riviera type and the fixed roof model as the Paris.

Other models on view include the 10/25 Sportsman coupé body, which has accommodation for four passengers when required, the floor being recessed at the rear for the passenger's feet. This has also a Sunshine roof, and is built on the Weyman principle on licence, which ensures silent running. The other like-powered car is a saloon with Weyman body, finished in black, with chromium-plated beading.

At North Tipperary County Council meeting last Wednesday Messrs. J. Ryan, Glenaguile, Toomevara, and Mr. W. Moloney, Main street, Roscrea, were co-opted members to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement of Mr. Matt O'Meara, Toomevara, and the death of Mr. T. F. Maher, Roscrea.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

GUARD'S DRINKING BOUT.

SHOOTING INCIDENT IN GALWAY.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

Patrick J. Brady (23), formerly a detective officer stationed at Galway, pleaded "not guilty" to shooting at Kitty Carew, a barmaid, employed at the Hibernian Bar, Galway, on July 13 last, with intent to kill. He was also charged with shooting at her with intent to maim her and with unlawfully wounding her.

Opening the case for the prosecution, Mr. Carrigan said that Brady had been in the service for about fifteen months, and had been stationed at Galway for about five months before the occurrence. The jury would be satisfied from the evidence that on July 13 Brady had been drinking. He went into the Hibernian Bar about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and remained in a room off the bar for about two hours. He called for several drinks, and left about 6 o'clock, returning again about 6.30. Miss Carew, who had served his requirements from 4 to 6, was this time asked to supply him with soda water. He then called for matches, which she gave him, and while she was waiting to be paid he drew a revolver. The girl ran, and he fired at her, the bullet striking her in the side of the head. A policeman who was standing outside, hearing the report, went into the room. Seeing the accused man with a revolver, he withdrew and reported the matter. An armed officer then arrived, and at him the accused man pointed a revolver. This officer also withdrew, and remained on guard outside in order to arrest Brady should he come out. Brady left the house by a side door, and was going towards the barrack when he met the Superintendent of the Civic Guard, who would tell the jury of the condition of the accused man.

D. McInerney, manager of the Hibernian Bar, Eyre square, Galway, said that he had known Brady for about five or six months before the occurrence. He heard Miss Carew shout, "Oh! Dan," and immediately afterwards he heard a shot. A bottle on one of the shelves was struck by a bullet. He saw Miss Carew rush from the room bleeding from the head.

WOUNDED GIRL'S ACCOUNT.

Kitty Carew said that she had known Brady for about five or six months before the occurrence. She went to the pictures with him once. Describing the events of July 13th, witness said that while she was waiting for payment for matches he caught her by the hand. With the other hand he took a revolver from his pocket. She screamed and broke away from him. When she had gone about three yards she heard a shot and felt a sting in the head. At the time only herself and Brady were in the room. She suffered from the effects of the wound for about two months.

Guard McBride gave evidence of seeing Brady in the room after the shooting. Brady had a revolver in his hand, and ordered the witness to "stand back." Witness "ducked" out of the room.

Sergeant Fallon also gave evidence.

Detective Officer Michael Ryan stated that when he entered the room in the Hibernian Bar after the shooting he asked Brady what happened. Brady did not say anything, but pointed a revolver at him.

Cross-examined by Mr. Patrick Lynch (instructed by Mr. McDermott, solicitor, Galway), who defended, the witness said that Brady had been a detective since June 1st of this year. He had been in hospital before that.

Dr. O'Malley described the injury to Miss Carew. It was a scalp wound. Witness had also treated Brady for alcoholism.

Superintendent Greaney, Galway, said that when he met Brady walking towards the barracks after the occurrence he presented a sullen and dazed appearance. He had his left hand in his trousers pocket and his right hand in his outside coat pocket. Protruding from his right hand coat pocket was what appeared to be the barrel of a revolver. Brady walked with the witness to the Eglinton street Barracks, where he was disarmed by witness. In addition to the revolver a spent cartridge was found in Brady's possession. Witness reported the affair to the Chief Superintendent, who suspended Brady. When arrested Brady made no statement.

Dr. Waters, Galway, said that he treated Brady in Galway Prison for the effects of drink for a week after the shooting. He was rambling in his speech and talking incoherently.

EXPRESSION OF REGRET.

After the luncheon adjournment, Mr. Lynch announced that on behalf of the prisoner he desired to withdraw the plea of "not guilty" to the third charge. Mr. Carrigan had also agreed not to proceed with the other two. On behalf of the prisoner Mr. Lynch expressed regret for the injury which was inflicted upon Miss Carew. The prisoner was not in a position to indemnify her against the loss she had sustained, but his relatives had agreed to pay Miss Carew a sum of money. Arrangements would be made for the prisoner's emigration to the Colonies.

Mr. Carrigan said that he did not regret that this case had been opened and tried in court. He would not have been prepared in the morning to accept such a proposal. The case involved the position of a Civic Guard, and reflected upon the whole force; but it was satisfactory to know that he had been only a short time in the Civic Guard, and that immediately after this occurrence he was forced to resign. Everybody in court realised that the truth of the case was that Brady had gone on a drunken spree, and was saturated with drink. He was, of course, liable for the offence which he committed of shooting at this young lady, and he deserved to be well punished. The fact that he had no chance of getting a position in this country and must go abroad was a punishment in itself. He (Mr. Carrigan) was glad that Miss Carew was to be compensated.

In these circumstances he would withdraw the first and second charges, but for the prisoner's own safety he (Mr. Carrigan) asked that he be put under a rule of bail.

TRADITION OF HONOUR.

The Judge said that the prisoner was indebted to his counsel for having taken such a course. If the case had gone to the jury, and the prisoner was convicted of firing with intent to murder, or firing with intent to cause grievous bodily harm, he would have had to send him to penal servitude. The prisoner was a member of a force which had a high tradition for personal honour and bravery. The judge said that he realised the force of what Mr. Lynch had said, and he appreciated that the prisoner was on a drunken bout on this occasion, and that he had not full control of his senses. He knew that the prisoner had already paid some penalty for this offence, but he could not let him pass without a sentence of imprisonment. Having regard to what was said in this case, and the course which was taken, he would sentence the prisoner to six months' imprisonment from the date of his committal, and require him to enter into a rule of bail to be of good behaviour for two years.

The prisoner's own security for £20 was accepted.

SOUTH COUNTY DUBLIN GARDENERS' ASSOCIATION.

At the Technical Institute, Kingstown, on Thursday evening the South County Dublin Gardeners' Association held a successful chrysanthemum competition, the following being the prize-winners:—

Singles—1st, Mr. G. Baker; 2nd, Mr. W. Duncan; 3rd, Mr. Dawson.

Japanese, Decorative—1st, Mr. G. Baker; 2nd, Mr. Mohan; 3rd, Mr. P. J. Clinch.

Large Exhibition Blooms—1st, Mr. P. J. Clinch; 2nd, Mr. Murphy; 3rd, Mr. Mohan.

The competition was very keen, and the quality of the flowers of a very high standard.

The judges were Messrs. Baker and Anderson. In addition Mr. W. Baker, of Alma Nurseries, Monkstown, and Mr. Gilthorpe, of Monkstown Nurseries, placed on show representative selections of chrysanthemums, which were greatly admired.

This competition was the fifth in the series of fifteen fortnightly shows arranged for the autumn and winter by this association with the object of sustaining amongst its members a lively interest in horticulture throughout the year. The organisation works in close association with the South County Dublin Horticultural Society, and its membership is not confined to professional gardeners, but is open to amateurs as well, the membership fee being a merely nominal one. The fortnightly competitions are of a comprehensive nature, and comprise flowers, fruit and vegetables.

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DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT.

POSSESSION OF A REVOLVER.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED.

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

In the case of Thomas Ryan, of Clonliffe road, whose sentence was reduced on the previous day from three months' to six weeks' imprisonment for having been in possession of a revolver without having a licence for it,

Mr. W. P. Fallon (instructed by Mr. J. V. Brady), who appeared for Ryan on the hearing of the appeal, asked the Judge if he would suspend the sentence if Ryan entered into a bond to be of good behaviour.

Detective Officer Scully, when asked, said that he had no objection.

Judge Davitt granted the application, and the appellant entered into an independent bond of £25 to be of good behaviour for two years.

THE CINEMA STRIKE.

APPEALS DISMISSED.

Several appeals were heard which had arisen out of the prolonged strike of employes of the Irish Kinematograph Company, Ltd., in Dublin.

In the case of Charles McEvoy, who had a fine of £1 and £1 costs recorded against him by Mr. Collins, District Justice, on each of two summonses in which he was charged with having been guilty of insulting behaviour in connection with picketing,

Mr. John J. Farrell, Chairman of the Kinematograph Company, owners of five picture houses in the city, in his evidence, stated that on the 13th June last they had over 100 persons employed in these houses. On that day he went into the operating room in the Grand Central. In that room there were four windows, which the regulations for safety required to be kept closed. McEvoy, the operator, was asked to close the windows, and he turned round, stared at witness, and said, "I'll close them for you," and he closed them with a bang, adding, "And I'll close your house to-morrow and put your head through the wall." He dismissed McEvoy next day, and gave him money in lieu of notice. In consequence of that dismissal about seventy of their employés went on strike, and that strike threw others out of employment. On the 5th of August he re-opened three of the houses, two were still closed, and pickets were posted opposite them. McEvoy had been in the pickets almost daily since he was dismissed. In Mary street and in O'Connell street handbills were distributed by the pickets asking the public to refrain from patronising the different houses, which, they said, were worked by what were called "scabs." The shouts of "Strike on here" from the pickets were heard by the people inside. In a few placards which were borne aloft by the pickets the word "scabs" was covered by transparent paper, which sought to leave out the first and final "s," so that the word was "cab." One of the handbills contained allusion to the Drumcollogher fire and to "Alderman Farrell's scabs."

Evidence as to the picketing and the offensive banners and handbills was given by several witnesses.

Charles McEvoy, the appellant, said that he had been employed by Mr. Farrell for nearly eight years, and had always been on good terms with him. He told Mr. Farrell that the windows ought not to be opened at the time, and he did not let him open them, because of the danger of fire. On the following night he was dismissed with a week's wages. After that there was a strike, and pickets were put on.

Mr. Fitzgerald, K.C., with whom was Mr T. Finlay (instructed by Mr. Fred Croskerry) submitted that the conduct of the pickets went outside the immunity provided by Section 2 of the Trades Disputes Act, which related to "peaceful" picketing.

The Judge dismissed the appeal, and affirmed the decision of the District Justice with costs.

In the case of Patrick Cullen, who appealed from a fine of £1 and £1 costs, the decision of the Court below was affirmed.

Similar rulings were made in the case of John Breen and Edward Hayden, on two summonses each, on which fines of 40s. and 42s. costs were recorded.

Mr. Lynn (instructed by Messrs. Wm. Smyth and Son) appeared for the appellants.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

WOULD-BE FILM ACTOR.

HOPES OF ENGAGEMENT.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

Maurice Cohen, a youth, was returned for trial on a charge of having obtained from Joseph Sherry, 61 Sheilmartin avenue, between the 14th and 28th of last August, sums of money amounting to about £60 by means of false and fraudulent pretences.

Mr. Sherry, in his evidence, said that his mother sold a house in Sheilmartin avenue, for which she got £120, and, as he was anxious to go to America, she gave him £100 to pay his passage there. He failed to pass the medical examination for entry into the United States, and lodged the £100 in a Dublin bank. A Mrs. Fountain, who knew that he was anxious to go "on the films," made an appointment for him to meet Cohen in Townsend street, where he eventually met the accused man. Cohen told him that he was a director of British International Films, Ltd., and could get him a small part at a decent salary. They then went across to the Metropole, where Cohen introduced him to some other men as a film actor. Next day Cohen borrowed £5 from him, pending the arrival of "a draft from Los Angeles." On subsequent days he borrowed further sums, in all £60, from him on the representation that he would be able to procure him a job. He neither got a job nor the money back.

The Justice—Have you any experience of film acting?—No, sir.

Yet you thought you could get a job as one. Did you think it so easy to become a "star"?—Well, Cohen told me and I believed him.

GROCER'S ASSISTANT FINED.

(BEFORE MR. KENNY.)

Bridget Cullen, spirit grocer, 1 Lower Oriel street, Dublin, was summoned for keeping her premises open for the sale of liquor during prohibited hours, and William Sullivan and Patrick Conlan, assistants, were charged with being privy to the offence.

Station-Sergeant Carruthers gave evidence that he found three men on the premises during illegal hours and thirteen others in a bottling store. Both of the assistants asked him not to report the case. Mrs. Cullen lived on the premises, and when he spoke to her she said she had closed the premises at ten o'clock, and that there were no people there since then. When he pointed out it was a Saturday night, and that the closing hour was 9.30, she made no reply.

Mr. E. H. Burne, for Mrs. Cullen, said that the men were on the premises without her knowledge. When she heard of what happened she dismissed Conlan, who was in charge.

Sullivan, in evidence, said that he had only entered the shop, and Conlan said that he had been at the races and that the men pushed their way into the shop. Mrs. Cullen knew nothing about it.

The Justice, fining Conlan £10 and dismissing the other cases, said that it was necessary that assistants should know that they were liable in cases of that kind. He gave Conlan six weeks to pay the fine, with the alternative of three months' imprisonment.

HELP FOR DUBLIN POOR.

THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul has issued its sixth list of subscriptions and donations in connection with the annual appeal for funds. The list appears in our advertising columns.

Among the subscriptions received was a sum of £50 from Mr. John Leonard, Whitehall, Dublin, and a further sum of £50 on bequest from the estate of the late Mr. Michael Kehoe-Roche, of "Dundale," Temple road, Milltown, County Dublin, for the poor of Dublin.

We understand from the committee that a large number of subscriptions are still outstanding, and the hon. treasurers would greatly appreciate a prompt response to the reminder circulars which were sent out during the week. Remittances will be promptly acknowledged by the hon secretaries and in the Press.

During the winter there will be an increasing demand on the Society's resources, and all subscriptions will be welcome. The Committee deeply appreciate the generous response to their appeal.

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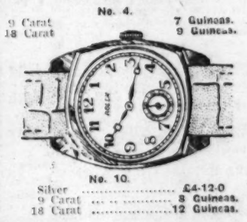

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MERCER'S ENDOWED SCHOOL.

The Archbishop of Dublin attended the annual distribution of prizes at Mercer's Endowed School, Castleknock, and addressed the girls on the subject of self-expression. He congratulated the staff on the satisfactory condition of the school. The Rev. W. P. Webb also addressed the pupils.

The report of the head mistress, Miss Smith, showed that the school continued to [illegible] and well. The pupils gave an interesting programme of musical items and a play with a humorous appeal.

TRANSFER OF A LICENCE.

Yesterday in Dublin, before Mr. Cusack, Senior Justice, on the application of Mr. Seales, solicitor, the licence attached to No. 134 Foley street was transferred to his client, Mr. Patrick Clear. Inspector McGloin, attending on behalf of the police, made no objection.

The Diocesan School Old Boys' Union are opening their winter's programme with a dance in the Molesworth Hall on Wednesday next. This is to be the first of a series of similar entertainments.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

RACING IN A STORM.

KOPI'S IMPRESSIVE VICTORY.

WHITE MAIZE FINDS HER FORM.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

MANCHESTER, Friday Night.

That useful ally, the oldest racegoer, whom I make use of on occasion to adorn a tale, has to be brought out of the lumber room, and brushed up for this occasion. Without him I cannot adequately describe the weather conditions here to-day. He says there has never been anything like them in his memory. He remembers when Hackness won the Cambridgeshire, and I can remember when Troytown won the Grand National, but neither of us can recollect a day when a race has been run in a sixty-mile-an-hour wind, such as the Sedgeley Handicap was run in to-day.

The glass fell sharply during the morning. Indeed, it may be said to have nose-dived down, which presaged something abnormal. The rain cleared off long before racing began, which it did in a good light and under pleasant conditions. Then the wind began to rise, and as the horses left the paddock for the third race the storm burst. It cleared the enclosures of every living creature.

The bookmakers clung to the rails for a time, but they had to give up the unequal contest with the elements as they were whirled away one by one, and five minutes before the race all betting had ceased. When I mention that Mr. Richard Power, a man of substance, with foundations of concrete, so to speak, who had come from Ireland to bet at the meeting, was torn from his pitch, and tossed across the ring as if he were a frail bird on the wing, it may give some idea of the gale's fury.

Storm and calm, but mostly storm, alternated throughout the afternoon, and we left after the last race, giving the railings to no one, and steadily refusing to allow any one to come up on the inside of us. In fact, we were blown off the course.

HEADS AT THE FINISH.

Things were normal enough for the first race, which Felix Leach, junior, won with Red Sunset, who beat Lyrelet and Cheviotdale by heads, the last-named, perhaps, being a trifle unlucky to have lost through not keeping a straight course.

Then Oakridge gave another splendid performance when he carried 9st. 13lb. in the Flying Handicap, which he only lost by half a length to Grandmaster, to whom he was giving 2st., Mellin, receiving 30lb., being a neck away, third.

Caryl on the inside, who started favourite, and Grandmaster had all the luck of the start. Frank Hartigan's filly, however, faded out and then Oakridge, who had been none too well away and had to come from behind, only just failed to make up the ground.

The Sedgeley Handicap, run in the conditions above described, was something of a farce; for the storm cut the jockeys' faces to pieces and covered them with mud, while some of the horses simply would not face the wind. Nestorian was a blazing hot favourite, and would have been better still had there been betting up to the off; but the Gigolo went off in front, and, making all the running, beat Nestorian by four lengths, thus making the fiftieth winner which Captain O. M. D. Bell has trained this season.

KOPI'S BEST PERFORMANCE.

The Irish two-year-old Kopi, whom Lieutenant-Colonel Loder sold at the Dublin Sales and whom Walter Earl bought privately at the Curragh in the spring for Mrs. B. Joel, put up his best performance to date when he won the Lancashire Nursery, giving weight all round, by half a length from Mizzenette, another Curragh purchase of the early part of the season, which Wootton made for Lord Beaverbrook.

Kopi was always going so well that he gave the impression that he could have gone to the front almost at any time. It was a really attractive performance, and I have no doubt that Kopi will show himself a very smart three-year-old. He is a grand individual —a Derby horse on looks—and there is no fault in his pedigree, for he is by Spion Kop from Suncourt by Sunstar out of Miramonde, who was half-sister to Pretty Polly.

The Ellesmere Welter was won, running away, by White Maize, a filly by White Eagle trained by Harry Powney. She did not get in the first three in any of her six previous races this season; but here she danced away from everything, winning in a canter by six lengths from Darian.

THE APPRENTICES' DIFFICULTIES.

The apprentices in the last race—the Pendleton Plate—had difficulty in keeping themselves from being blown from the saddle. A very minute boy, called Whitehouse, won this race on Betty's Pride for the very successful stable of Leonard Cundell. She had no difficulty in beating Heath Fire.

We finish the season to-morrow with the Manchester November Handicap as the big event. I think that for this race WEST WICKLOW will be a good favourite, and I look to him to confirm the Derby Cup form with Lordland, though he may not have four lengths to spare. Saracen, as I mentioned when he stood at a comparatively long price, is a good deal fancied, but in such conditions it is, perhaps, better to trust the older horses. Yesterday's winner, Nerwest, whom the good boy, S. Wragg, has been engaged to ride, is likely to run well. I expect, however, to see WEST WICKLOW win from Lordland.

In the Worsley Nursery I like best the chance of ARCHIMAGE, and DOLMAN may finish up Carslake's career as a jockey by giving him a winning ride in the Final Plate.

In the Finale Handicap at Lingfield Blancona may just fail to give the weight to PARD, while YELLOW SANDS looks particularly well handicapped in the November Nursery.

GALTEE MORE.

MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

SIR JOSHUA (Major Sneyd), ch. g., by Gainsborough—Jesica, a. 9-0 (Sneyd)
BARALONG (Mr. A. R. Cox), b. r., by Galloper Light—Silesia, 4, 8-8 (Lawson) ..... J. Childs
KNIGHT OF THE GRAIL (Sir D. Broughton), —b. c., by Prince Galahad—Magical Music, 4, 8-6 (Farquharson) ..... M. Beary
BURNSIDE (Sir W. Gilbey), ch. g., by Bridge of Earn—Nalena, 5, 8-0 (T. Cannon) ..... J. Brennan
LORDLAND (Contessa di Sant Elia), b. c., by Tamar—Sans Tache, 4, 8-0 (Watts) ..... F. Fox
WEST WICKLOW (Mr. D. O'F. Leahy), ch. c., by Tangiers—Bachelor's Dream, 4, 8-0 (Hogg) ..... Gordon Richards
ADIEU (Mr. F. W. Horlock), b. c., by Arzos—Dame French, 4, 7-12 (Wall, Griggs) ..... R. James
CHEERIO (Mr. H. Morris), b. f., by Aldegond—Serenity, 3, 7-10 (O'Sullivan)
BUOYANT BACHELOR (Mr. C. W. Gordon), ch. c., by Bachelor's Double—Ocean Light, 3, 7-10 (J. Jarvis) ..... J. Sirett
SARACEN (Major J. S. Courtauld), b. c., by Gay Crusader—Love-oh, 3, 7-8 (B. Jarvis) ..... S. Donoghue
SAMPHIRE II. (Lieut.-Col. C. W. Birkin), b. c., by Son-in-Law—Lady Josephine, 3, 7-7 (C. Leader) ..... Dines
START II. (M. M. Boussac), br. c., by Sunstar—Only One, 4, 7-5 (S. Darling) ..... G. Baines
FLYING ARAB (Mr. F. J. Benson), ch. c., by Gay Crusader—Love-oh, 3, 7-4 (E. Wilson) ..... T. Weston
AUTOCRAT (Mr. H. Steel), gr. g., by Stefan the Great—My Dame, 5, 7-2 (Walls) ..... Harris
CORNWALLIS (Mr. A. G. Whiteman), b. c., by Serment d'Amour—American Beauty, 5, 6-12 (Hare) ..... H. Packham
NORWEST (Sir H. Nugent), b. c., by Westward Ho!—Pole Star (7lb. ex.), 3, 7-5 ..... S. Wragg
INQUISITIVE (Major Barclay), b. f., by Abbot's Trace—Pillar of Salt, 4, 6-10 (Cannon) ..... Jeckells
POMAGNE (Sir E. Hanmer), b. f., by Pommern—Serviceable, 3, 6-7 (Peacock) ..... W. Stephenson
NESTORIAN (Mr. Fletcher), b. g., by Archaic—Placentia, 3, 6-3 (Dale) ... A. Berry
GRANGE VIEW (Mr. Waldron), b. c., by Cottage—Llwyn-yr-Eos, 3, 6-0 (R. Jones) ..... Adley

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IRISH RACING.

THE PAST SEASON.

SOME STATISTICS.

A satisfactory feature of the past season was the indication of a revival of public interest, which, if more pronounced in the provinces than in the metropolitan area, was nevertheless encouraging. The improvement was most noticeable at the "country" meetings, particularly in Munster, where the attendances at the majority of the fixtures showed a considerable advance on those of last year. The Dublin and Curragh meetings, it is true, did not fare much better than in 1927, but the removal of the entertainments tax in July helped them to some extent to minimise their losses. Taken on the whole the season was somewhat more successful than either of its immediate predecessors, and the outlook generally is much brighter than it was twelve months ago.

The report submitted by the Committee appointed by the Government to inquire into the position of Irish racing contained some useful recommendations, and the most important of these, the introduction of mechanical betting, will come into operation on our courses next season. The installation of the machines will, it is hoped, bring about many advantages to racing here, as it has done in most of the countries abroad where it is in use. Through the medium of the Totalisator or Pari-Mutuel, which are the same in principle, it has been found that executives are enabled to increase the amount of money put up for competition, and to reduce the entrance fees, thereby benefiting owners, and incidentally helping the breeding industry, which is such a national asset, as witness the wonderful prices that Irish yearlings continue to realise at Doncaster, Newmarket, and elsewhere. Richer stakes would make for better racing, and with the prices of admission brought to a lower level than obtain at present, it would be only reasonable to expect much larger attendances.

THE STATISTICS.

So far as concerns the actual racing, the season was most successful, the sport, in point of quality and interest, maintaining a good standard throughout, which of itself is gratifying. The Heath, Maryborough, stable, presided over by Mr. Isodore Blake and Colonel A. J. Blake, played a prominent part in the campaign. That establishment was particularly strong in two-year-olds, one of which, Soloptic, won more money in stakes than any other of her age in Ireland, and holds forth promise of achieving still better things in the future, whilst her half-sister, Sweet Wall, rounded off a remarkable sequence of victories by winning the Irish Cambridgeshire under top-weight in heavy going. Both belong to Mr. C. L. MacKean, who, not for the first time, figures high up in the owners' list. Top place in that table is occupied by Sir Charles Hyde, the English newspaper magnate, in whose colours the Irish-bred Baytown won the Irish Derby and Two Thousand Guineas, and only just failed to bring off the "hat trick" in the Irish St. Leger, won by Law Suit.

SUCCESSFUL TRAINERS.

As is his wont, Mr. J. J. Parkinson, in his dual *rôle* of owner and trainer, did right well, and in point of the number of races won came out best among the trainers with 52 successes, Mr. Maxwell Arnott being a good second with 49, and Mr. H. Usher third with 47. Messrs. J. T. Rogers and H. M. Hartigan also had a very good season, the former turning out 16 winners of 23 races worth £4,846, and the latter 17 winners of 27 races value £3,904.

Pride of place in the list of winning stallions fell to Achtoi, the sire of that sterling colt, Baytown, and many other good performers both here and in England, and Soldennis also occupies a prominent position, mainly through the medium of Soloptic, who is an excellent advertisement for him.

THE JOCKEYS.

That accomplished horseman, M. Wing, carried off the riding honours, this being the first time for him to head the table, and J. H. Harty improved considerably on his previous records. J. Moylan, E. M. Quirke and D. Ward well maintained their reputations in the saddle, as did Mr. T. Nugent, who was by far the most successful of the amateur riders. Appended are summarised tables of the leaders in the various sections:—

OWNERS.

	No. of Winners	No. of Races	Value of Races. £ s. d.
Sir Charles Hyde	1	2	6210 0 0
Mr. C. L. Mackean	3	11	5706 15 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson	17	38	5690 0 0
Mr. F. S. Myerscough...	4	6	2632 0 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers	11	17	2377 10 0
Mr. J. A. Hirst	1	1	2160 0 0
Capt. R. D. Brassey...	5	13	1957 0 0
Mr. W. Bernett	2	4	1877 10 0
Sir Abe Bailey	1	1	1760 0 0
Mrs. J. S. Shepherd ...	4	10	1060 0 0
Mr. G. Manning	2	3	1038 5 0
Capt. H. Dixon	3	5	1019 0 0

TRAINERS.

	No. of winners	No. of races.	Value of Races. £ s. d.
N. C. Scobie	1	2	6210 0 0
Col. Blake	12	25	5628 15 0
J. T. Rogers	16	23	4846 5 0
J. J. Parkinson	27	52	4010 15 0
H. M. Hartigan	17	27	3904 0 0
M. Arnott	21	49	3818 10 0
H. J. Fesher	23	47	3653 0 0
F. Grumbar	9	13	3221 0 0
R. W. Colling	1	1	2160 0 0
P. Behan	17	22	2326 15 0
R. Day	1	1	1760 0 0

ORDER OF TRAINERS AS TO NUMBER OF WINNING HORSES.

	Winners		Winners
J. J. Parkinson.....	27	P. Behan	17
H. J. Fesher	23	J. T. Rogers	16
M. Arnott	21	Col. Blake	12
H. M. Hartigan	17	Jos. Dawson	10

ORDER OF TRAINERS AS TO NUMBER OF RACES WON.

	Races		Races
J. J. Parkinson ...	52	P. Behan	22
M. Arnott	49	Jos. Dawson	21
H. Usher	47	H. Hardy	19
H. M. Hartigan ...	27	H. J. Tally	18
Col. Blake	25	R. More O'Ferrall...	16
J. T. Rogers	23	J. Cunningham ...	15

SIRES.

	No. of Winners	No. of Races	Value of Races £ s. d.
Achtoi, by Santol	8	16	7101 0 0
Soldennis, by Tredennis	4	6	3389 5 0
Hainault (dead), by Swynford	5	9	2844 0 0
Flying Orb, by Orby— Essexford, by Charles O'Malley	7	11	2206 15 0
Tagnus, by Sunstar	5	13	2045 0 0
Blandford, by Swynford — Son in Law, by Dark Ronald	2	2	1847 0 0
Book, by Polymelus — Azores (dead), by Bachelor's Double ...	2	4	1760 0 0
Diligence, by Harry Or ...	5	10	2679 0 0

JOCKEYS.

	Mounts	Wins	Ptage
M. Wing	216	58	26.85
J. H. Harty	240	48	20.00
J. Moylan	225	45	20.00
E. M. Quirke	152	42	21.82
D. Ward	139	35	25.25
John Doyle	147	30	20.40
Mr. T. Nugent	98	17	17.34
James Doyle	188	21	11.17
M. Hynes	89	20	22.47
T. McNeill	72	18	2.00
G. McQuillan	105	16	15.37
M. Barrett	68	16	23.53
A. Barrett	102	15	14.86

RIDERS OF 13 WINNERS OR MORE, ARRANGED IN ORDER OF THEIR PERCENTAGE.

Mr. T. Nugent..	37.85	John Doyle ...	20.40
M. Wing	26.85	J. H. Harty ...	20.00
D. Ward	25.25	J. Moylan	20.00
T. McNeill	25.00	G. McQuillan ...	15.37
M. Barrett	23.53	A. Barrett	14.86
M. Hynes	22.47	James Doyle	11.17
E. M. Quirke	21.82		

BALDOYLE RACES.

NEW YEAR MEETING.
TUESDAY, JANUARY 1st, 1929.

Entries for all Races to be run at above Meeting CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin. Telegraphic Address—"Turfclub, Dublin." For programme see *Irish Racing Calendar*, and *Irish Field*.—(Advt.)

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MANCHESTER RETURN

KOPI WINS LANCASHIRE NURSERY.

12.45—ORDSALL SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. 5f.

King Sol—Rosita, 7-11 ..... G. Baines 1
Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's LYRELET, 8-3 ..... H. Wragg 2
Sir H. Mens's CHEVIOTDALE, 8-0 ..... P. Beasley 3
Also ran:—Franklinberg (S. Wragg), Pictou (W. Turtle), Forward Boy (F. Fox), Hors de Combat (Magee), Deux Milles (T. Weston), The Blinking Duke (L. Cundell), Themis (G. Richards), Blen-du-Bel (W. Alford), Edenbridge (C. Adley), Grand Flier (J. Dines), Brown Hill (F. Brooks), Lily's Garter (W. Cooke), Princess Sheila gelding (W. Stephenson), Coal Tar (L. Tidey). Off 12.47. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—15 to 8 agst. RED SUNSET, 4 to 1 Cheviotdale, 6 to 1 Pictou, 10 to 1 each Lyrelet and Forward Boy, 100 to 8 Hors de Combat geld. 100, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a head; same. Horse de Combat gelding was fourth and Lily's Garter last.

The winner was sold to Mr. A. E. McKinley for 500 gns.

1.15—FLYING HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 5f.

Lord Glanely's b. c. GRANDMASTER, by Grand Parade—Verve, 4, 7-13 ..... G. Richards 1
Mr. F. H. Cundell's OAK RIDGE, 6, 9-13 ..... J. Jarvis 4
Also ran:—Tutbury (F. Fox), Another Duchess (G. Baines), Caryl (S. Magee), Tetrastyle (J. Dines), Fizal Offence ((A. Burns), Acrasin (L. Hughes), Bachelor's Tonic (C. Hall), Tagra (W. Stephenson), Dusky Brave (W. Alford), Devastation (A. Richardson), Fawn Way (A. Berry). Off 1.17. (Winner trained by Hogg.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Caryl, 6 to 1 Mellin, 7 to 1 Tutbury, 15 to 2 Oak Ridge, 10 to 1 each GRANDMASTER and Bachelor's Tonic, 100 to 8 Fizal Offence, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; a neck. Fawn Way was fourth and Tagra last.

1.45—SEDGELEY HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each with 300 sovs. added. Three years old. 1¼ m.

Capt. J. Fielden's b. c. GIGOLO, by Junior—Butterfly Belle, 7-8 ..... S. Wragg 1
Mr. M. Fletcher's NESTORIAN, 7-10 ..... J. Dines 2
Sir C. Hyde's MEDALLIN, 7-5 ..... F. Sharpe 3
Also ran—Cardinal's Ring (H. Leach), Physic Ball (H. Wragg), Aberdovey (W. Nevett), Mr. Toots (W. Turtle), Lion Heart (S. Donoghue), Silvay (G. Baines), Ashmore (L. Cundell), Trentford (S. Magee). Off 1.47. (Winner trained by O Bell.)

Betting—15 to 8 agst. Nestorian, 6 to 1 GIGOLO, 7 to 2 Authlore, 8 to 1 each Physic Ball and Aberdovey, 10 to 1 Medarlin, 100 to 8 Cardinal's Ring, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by four lengths; one length. Trentford was fourth and Silvay last.

2.20—LANCASHIRE NURSERY HANDICAP, a Plate of 1,000 sovs. 6f.

Mr. S. Joel's b. or br. c. KOPI, by Spion Kop—Suncroft, 8-3 ..... H. Wragg 1
Lord Beaverbrook's MIZZENETTE, 8-1 ..... T. Donoghue 2
Lord Glanely's WINTER QUEEN COLT, 6-13 ..... G. Baines 3

Also ran—Bearskin (R. Perryman), Skyglory colt (G. Richards), Airman (D. McGuigan), Glastonbury (F. Fox), Neguac (S. Wragg), Golden Rain (S. Donoghue), Barrack Law (W. Nevett), On Avon (J. Sirett), Bhang (T. Weston), Toll Call (J. Haines), Promandale (S. Magee), Hairspring colt (W. Alford), Lommera (A. Berry), Vanstanden (W. Stephenson).

Off 2.23. Winner trained by Earl.

Betting—5 to 1 agst. KOPI, 11 to 2 Lommera, 7 to 1 Mizzenette, 15 to 2 Bhang, 9 to 1 Neguac, 10 to 1 each Bearskin, Airman, Golden Rain and Toll Call, 100 to 9 Barrack Law, 100 to 7 Winter Queen colt, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by half a length; same. Bearskin was fourth and Airman last.

2.55—ELLESMERE WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 6f.

Mr. H. Lawrence's ch. f. WHITE MAIZE, by White Eagle—Within the Maze, 4, 7-13 ..... R. James 1
Mr. H. Blagrave's DARIAN, 3, 8-1 ..... R. Perryman 2
Capt. J. Homfray's IMPROPRIETY, 3, 8-8 ..... R. Jones 3

Also ran—Cavaliero (H. Wragg), Tetrachord (F. Winter), John Silver (F. Fox), Rhyolite (F. Field), Livid (G. Richards), La Chance (W. Stephenson), Antiphon (F. Beasley), Venture (C. Weston), Lemin (P. Donoghue), Rialto Bridge (J. Dines), Bachelor's Vow (J. Sirett), Cock Law (A. Richardson), Woolhampton (S. Wragg), Kniphofia (G. Baines).

Off 3.0. Winner trained by H. Powney.

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Livid, 5 to 1 La Chance, 6 to 1 Rhyolite, 8 to 1 WHITE MAIZE, 10 to 1 each Darian, Rialto Bridge, and Bachelor's Vow, 100 to 8 each Impropriety, and John Silver, 100 to 7 Tetrachord, 100 to 6 Kniphofia, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by six lengths; a head. Lemin was fourth and Cavaliero last.

3.30—PENDLETON MAIDEN (APPRENTICE) PLATE of 200 sovs. 1¼ m.

Mr. I. Cundell's ch. f. BETTY'S PRIDE, by Mountaineer—Betty S., 3, 6-13 ..... H. Whitehouse 1
Mr. F. Dennis' HEATH FIRE, 3, 7-4 ..... J. McGonigal 2
Mrs. A. Charlesworth's QUEL ESPRIT, 3, 7-4 ..... J. Jarvis 3

Also ran—Dafila (J. Warren), Black Grape (I. Hughes), Muscle (G. Mitchell), Mountain (F. Roche), Rita (R. Mason).

Off 3.31. Winner trained by L. Cundell.

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Heath Fire, 3 to 1 BETTY'S PRIDE, 4 to 1 Dafila, 10 to 1 each Quel Esprit and Muscle, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by five lengths; eight lengths. Dafila was fourth and Mountain last.

SPORTING GOSSIP

Baldoyle New Year Meeting.

Owners and trainers are reminded that entries for above meeting close on Wednesday next with Mr. F. Harold Clarke.

November Handicap Scratching.

The Brown Talisman was struck out of the Manchester November Handicap at 2 p.m. on Thursday.

Maiden Plate Entries

The Ward Hunt Maiden Plate has closed, at first entry, with 42 subscribers; the Louth Hunt Maiden Plate with 18, and the Meath Hunt Maiden Plate with 19.

Engagements Taken Over.

The executors of the late Sir G. S. Murray have notified to the Keeper of the Match Book that they have taken over all the engagements of the horses lately the property of that gentleman.

Jockey's Contract

E. M. Quirke has renewed his contract to ride next season for Mr. Isodore J. Blake.

Windermere Laddie's Starting Price.

The correct *Sporting Life* and *Sporting Chronicle* starting price of Windermere Laddie in the Brackley Handicap at Manchester on Thursday is 11 to 2 against, not 7 to 2.

Campbell College.

The R.M.A. (Woolwich) XV. to meet the R.M.C. (Sandhurst) on Wednesday next will be captained by C. C. McCreight, Campbell College, and the three-quarter line will include F. R. Levers, also of Campbell College.

McBain Signs On.

Mr. F. Pugnam, manager of the Watford Football Club, yesterday signed on Neil McBain (Liverpool). Since the suspension of Barson following incidents in the match at Watford with Fulham, Watford have been seeking a reliable centre-half, and the fee paid for McBain is understood to be substantial.

Irish Three-year-old for India

Our Curragh Correspondent understands that Mr. H. M. Hartigan's three-year-old filly Vaniteuse, by Irishman out of Vain Lady, has been sold, and has left for Calcutta.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Manchester November Handicap Plate—The Wolf and Op Approved, at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Beresford Plate, Manchester—Arran Bay.
Country Nursery Handicap, Lingfield Park—Roi de Saba.
Birmingham engagements—Baby's Bottle.

SQUASH RACKETS.

THE ARMY CHAMPIONSHIP.

G. N. Scott-Chad (Coldstream Guards) will defend his title against the Hon. N. A. S. Lytton-Milbanke (Rifle Brigade) in the final of the Army Championship at Prince's Club, London, to-day.

In the semi-final round yesterday Scott-Chad had a fairly easy victory over Captain Cheney (K.R.R.C.), but was handicapped after leading at 8-1 in the third game as a result of a nasty cut on his nose when hit by Cheney's racket. Cheney then won five consecutive aces, but the champion recovered well and, hitting with severity, took the next point for the game and match.

Lytton-Milbanke showed excellent form in defeating Major J. C. O. Marriott (Scots Guards) —8-10, 3-9, 9-7, 9-3, 9-5.

G. N. Scott-Chad (Coldstream Guards) (bobier) beat Captain J. N. Cheney (K.R.R.C.)—9-2, 9-6, 9-6.

MANCHESTER.

SELECTIONS.

Farewell Handicap—Another Craft.
Beresford Plate—Cragford.
November Handicap—Start II.
Last Selling Handicap—Double Gift.
Worsley Nursery—Archimage.
Final Plate—Dolman.*

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Dolman (Manchester) and Stutter (Lingfield).

12.45—FAREWELL HANDICAP of 3 sovs. each, with 300 added. 1 m. Age st. lb

FIRKHEATON (Mr. Straker), T. Cannon 4 8 10
CABALLERO (Mr. H. E. Steel) ..... Walls 3 8 9
HARMONY (Lord Glanely) ..... Hogg 3 7 8
SIX WHEELER (Mr. Clayton) ..... Elsey 3 7 7
YUKON (Mr. F. Krohn) ..... Bickley a 7 5
GRANDFLIGHT (Mr. Downing) ..... Vasey 5 7 5
BUCKS HUSSINE (Mr. Lyons) ..... Barling 3 7 4
WYKEHAM (Col. Carruthers) ..... R. J. Colling a 7 1
ADHERENT (Mr. Pennant) ..... L. Todd 3 7 0
ANOTHER CRAFT (Mr. Woods) ..... Ily. Powney 4 6 7

(The above have arrived.)

POLLY FLINDERS II. (Mr. Esmond) ..... J. Jarvis 4 9 6
SYNTONY (10lb. ex.) (Sir H. C. Owen) ..... W. Nightingall 4 9 2
TUCK BOX (Mr. Dennis) ..... Bartlropp 3 8 7
UNCLE WOODY (Mr. T. Richards) ..... W. Nightingall 4 8 5
AXETER (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ..... Cottrill 3 8 5
WHITE ORB (Mr. Barnett) ..... Coulthwaite 5 8 5
LAVENGRO (Mr. D. Sullivan) ..... Persse 4 8 2
LUCKY TOR (Mr. Singer) ..... Lawson 3 8 1
THE UNDISCOVERED (Mr. Marsh) ..... Rimell 6 8 1
FIMILKAMEEN (Mr. Fox) ..... Nightingall 3 8 1
GIFTED (10lb. ex.) (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ..... Cottrill 6 7 12
PORT ARTHUR (H.H. of Nawanagar) ..... A. Sadler 6 7 11
JENICO (Mr. A. Hood) ..... Peacock 6 7 10
BREAK OF DAY (Lt. Dewar) ..... Pickering 3 7 7
BARLEY KNOWE (Mr. J. M. Misa) ..... Misa 4 7 4
GREEN-ORB (Mr. Gregory) ..... Golightly 5 7 2
CUDDLER (Mr. J. Turner) ..... Turner 4 7 2
THE CHEETAH (Mrs. Peyster) ..... Hamshaw 4 7 1
CLASPER (Mr. C. A. Cowie) ..... Cowie 3 6 12
POMPION (Mr. J. Cooper) ..... L. Todd 4 6 12
TRUE COPPY (Sir F. Eley) ..... G. Ward 3 6 10
FIRE QUEEN (Mr. J. Gorman) ..... Yapp 4 6 9
MINNIE HA HA (Mr. J. Kinney) ..... Wylie 5 6 9
MARJINGO (Mr. T. D. Peacock) ..... Botterill 5 6 8
ROYAL AMBASSADOR (Mr. Cowie) ..... Cowie 4 6 8
FRANKIT (Sir D. Broughton) ..... O. Bell 3 6 7
GARTAT (Mr. Dennis) ..... Barthropp 4 6 7
KIM (Sir Thomas Putnam) ..... Peacock 4 6 7
HINODE (Mr. H. S. Maw) ..... Drake 5 6 7
MELIBEUS (Mr. G. E. Smith) ..... Drake a 6 7

1.15—BERESFORD PLATE of 500 sovs. 5f

	Age	st. lb.
CRAGFORD (Mr. Pennant) ... L. Todd	6	8 11
BACHELOR'S VOW (Mr. A. Lowry) ..... Hugh Powney	a	8 11
GRAND GLACIER (Ld. Glanely) ..... Hogg	5	8 10
ANDY (Mr. H. Blagrave) ... Blagrave	5	8 7
FLYING PHŒNIX (Mr. Edge) ..... De Mestre	6	8 7
JOLIMENT (Mrs. Gardner) ..... O'Sullivan	4	8 4
SEA KALE (Mrs. Gardner) ..... O'Sullivan	5	8 4
BALCHELOR'S DALE (Mr. Lowry) ..... Hugh Powney	5	8 4
RHYOLITE (Mrs. Beddington) ..... F. Hartigan	6	8 1
LONESOME (Mr. S. Wootton) ..... Wootton	4	8 1
SOLDAN (Mr. L. J. Blake) ..... Blake	2	7 2

(The above have arrived.)

CHARMANT (Mr. I. Z. Davis) ..... Thrale 5 9 0
CANFIELD (Baron de Tuyll) ..... F. Hartigan 5 8 7
DEVASTATION (Mr. Hood) ..... Peacock 3 8 6
ARRAN BEG (Mr. S. Wootton) ..... Wootton 3 8 6
MERRIMENT (Sir F. Eley) ..... G. Ward a 8 4
VALDORE (Mr. Hands) ..... Bryans 6 8 4
BROTHER'S WATER (Ld. Lonsdale) ..... R. Armstrong 4 8 4
TOO EAGER (Capt. Wilson) ..... Hamnett a 8 4
HOLLASTER (Mr. Rintoul) ..... Rintoul a 8 4
PHANTASY (Contessa di Sant Elia) ..... Watts 3 8 3
GINGER BILLY (Mrs. Stubbs) ..... Clancy 3 8 3
PHAMYRIS (Mr. J. Baxter) ..... Vasey a 8 1
TRAFAD (Mr. Benson) ..... E. Wilson 4 8 1
PRICELIST (Mr. Davies) ..... Larkin 6 8 1
JOCK TROTTER (Mr. Gilpin) ..... Gilpin 4 8 1
SILVER SWORD (Mr. Glasspool) ..... C. Leader 6 8 1
LADY MARCUS (Mr. Lumsden) ..... Boyd 6 8 1
OPEN PROSPECT (Mr. T. Walls) ..... Walls 6 8 1
DAN LENO (Mr. Kinney) ..... Wylie 2 6 13

1.55—MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP PLATE of 1,500 sovs. Winner after November 7th, at noon 7lb., of two races; or of one value 500 sovs., 14lb. extra. 1½ m.

	Age	st. lb.
SIR JOSHUA (Maj. Sneyd) ..... Owner	a	9 0
BARALONG (Mr. Cox) ..... Lawson	4	8 8
KNIGHT OF THE GRAIL (Sir D. Broughton) ..... Farquharson	4	8 6
LORDLAND (Contessa di Sant Elia) ..... Watts	4	8 0
BURNSIDE (Sir W. Gilbey) T. Cannon	5	8 0
WEST WICKLOW (Mr. Leahy) ..... Hogg	4	8 0
ADIEU (Mr. Horlock) ..... Wall	4	7 12
CHEERIO (Mr. H. Morris) O'Sullivan	3	7 10
BUOYANT BACHELOR (Mr. C. Gordon) ..... J. Jarvis	3	7 10
SARACEN (7lb. ex.) (Maj. Courtauld) ..... B. Jarvis	3	7 8
SAMPHIRE II. (Lt.-Col. Birkin) ..... C. Leader	4	7 7
START II. (M. Boussac) ..... S. Darling	4	7 5
FLYING ARAB (Mr. Benson) ..... E. Wilson	3	7 4
NORWEST (Sir H. Nugent) (7lb. ex.) ..... Owner	3	7 3
AUTOCRAT (Mr. Steel) ..... Walls	3	7 2
CORNWALLIS (Mr. Whiteman) ..... Hare	3	6 12
INQUISITIVE (Maj. Barclay) ..... J. Cannon	4	6 10
BALLYSCANLON (Mr. H. Martin) ..... Edwards	4	6 10
POMAGNE (Sir E. Hanmer) ..... Peacock	3	6 7
NESTORIAN (Mr. Fletcher) ..... Dale	3	6 3

The above have arrived).

BLACKNESS (14lb. ex.) (Mr. Deane) ..... Lawson 4 8 13
THE MOHAWK (Capt. Hutchison) ..... Elsey 4 8 2
ATHFORD (Mr. W. Barnett) ..... R. Dawson 3 7 10
SONNY (Mrs. Hartigan) ..... M. Hartigan 4 6 12
THE CONSUL (Ld. Lascelles) ..... W. Jarvis 3 6 11
GRANGE VIEW (Mr. Waldron) ..... R. Jones 3 6 0

2.30—LAST SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 6f.

	Age	st. lb.
MICHAELMAS DAY (Lt.-Col. Carruthers) ..... R. J. Colling	3	8 12
ROYAL HEROINE (Mr. H. Evans) ... Ray	4	7 9
GULISTAN (Capt. J. Broadley) ... Waldron	a	7 9
LORAT (Mr. A. Lowry) ..... J. Dawson	a	7 5
PANDARUS (Lt.-Col. J. Carruthers) ..... R. J. Colling	a	7 3
SPRINKLE LIGHT (Mr. Renton) ..... Renton	a	6 4

(The above have arrived.)

JOHN'S SON (Mrs. Beddington) ..... F. Hartigan 5 9 0
TWOFOLD (Mr. A. Lowry) ..... Hugh Powney 3 8 7
SUN GEM (Mr. S. Wootton) ..... Wootton 3 8 7
BACHELORS' PUT (Mr. Glanely) ..... Hogg 3 8 4
WHITE FUR (Mr. H. Clayton) ..... Elsey 3 8 4
THE OWLET (Mr. T. Queen) ..... Thomson a 8 1
LUCKY SON (Mr. Aspinall) ..... D. Taylor 3 8 1
MOUNTAIN MIST (Mr. O. Mosley) ..... Mosley 3 7 11
LAMPLIGHTER (H.H. Maharajah Gaekwar of Baroda) .....

COURSING.

THE IRISH CUP.

MR. FLYNN'S SECOND WIN.

FINE RUNNING BY FIGARO.

By Our Special Correspondent.

Under appalling conditions, the Irish Cup meeting concluded yesterday at Clounanna, where Mr. Peter Flynn, of Higginstown, Killucan, gained his second victory in the Cup. Two seasons ago he nominated the winner, Keen Laddie, and yesterday his own dog, Figaro, defeated Mr. John Fitzgibbon's nomination, Myra's Fancy, a locally owned hound, in the deciding round.

Figaro is a grandson of Full Speed, who won the Cup for Mr. Thomas Harte, being by that remarkably successful sire, Three Speed. The latter's dam was Crockafotha III., a litter sister of Dick the Liar. Beautifully bred (Busaco Boy—Stonely Sea II.), Crockafotha III., after winning a stake at Listowel, injured herself, and did not run again. She was then given by Mr. James Clarke to a Dublin sporting journalist, who presented her to the late Mr. P. Everard, and mated with Full Speed she produced the sire of a lengthy string of winners.

Yesterday Figaro maintained to the full the distinctive merits of the strain from which he sprang, and which was introduced to this country by Mr. Michael Hearn when he purchased Busaco Boy for the purpose of improving the breed of the Irish greyhound. Favourite for the Breeders' Stake at Clonmel last season, he failed to survive that test, as he did against Son of the Sod and Windgap in two Belsize Cups. On his form he did not fill the eye as one likely to come through the severe ordeal at Clounanna, but he more than justified the opinion formed of him by the critics when he won his Trial Stake at Killucan. True, his first course on Wednesday was not convincing, but thereafter he made no mistakes, and, running out his other courses most generously, and retaining his speed to the end, he achieved a success as decisive as it was popular.

More trying conditions than those experienced yesterday have never been associated with the Cup. The continuous rain converted the ground into a regular morass; even the "dry" spots of the previous days had disappeared, being covered with pools. A half-gale blew from the west, accompanied by fierce showers—more than one car was unroofed on the way to Clounanna—and it was impossible to follow some of the courses.

In the circumstances the coursing was remarkably fine. The trials may not have been as uniform as on Wednesday and Thursday. That could not be expected, but, taking the meeting as a whole, it was, from the sporting viewpoint, the best "Cup" we have had, for which we had to thank that excellent sportsman, Mr. Peter Fitzgerald, of Mondellihy, who provided these wonderful hares for the club.

It was grand to find two such coursers as Mr. Fitzgibbon and Mr. Flynn in the last round. It was, however, unfortunate that the hare for the deciding course was not a good one, or rather that she did not stand up for a real test. Figaro merely raced up, wrenched and killed, and the bitch had no chance of displaying her brilliance as a worker, as she again did in her course with Windgap.

The latter's good fortune deserted him. He seemed to many to be running unsighted; others thought it was Myra's Fancy that was blinked. Anyway, Windgap, holding the lead, crossed over and killed, and they were sent back. The favourite, in the second attempt, after leading, had the course won if he had held the hare in the pool; but he let go, "blinded" by the water, and then, once more standing off his game, he got an adverse decision, and deservedly so. Hidden Maid must have been feeling the effects of the handicap; for she failed completely to reproduce the form which had brought her to the semi-final round, and was well beaten by Figaro, who ran a splendid course.

The Purse went to Prince of Burren, who had the luck against Mount Severn in the semi-final round, and Mr. Mahon's nomination, High Extract, unlucky in the Cup, took the Plate quite easily.

Judge—Mr. M. F. Davin. Slipper—W. O'Donoghue.

LONG ODDS BEFORE THE SEMI-FINALS.

Evens Figaro.
5 to 4 agst. Windgap.
4 to 1 agst. Myra's Fancy.
7 to 1 agst. Hidden Maid.

IRISH CUP—For 64 all-ages; second, £300 and Cup; second, £100; two dogs £25 each; three dogs, £15 each; eight dogs, £5 each—£550.

I.

Mr. J. Fitzgibbon ns. bk. & Myra's Fancy (Dump Down—Miss S.) beat Mr. T. Taylor ns. l.d. Windgap (Tough Tamale—Gilt Edge)—5 to 2 on Windgap.

Mr. P. Flynn's bd Figaro (Three Speed—Irish Question) beat Mr. Thos. Harte's b. Hidden Maid (Three Speed—Highboro III.)—5 to 2 on Figaro.

II.

Figaro beat **Myra's Fancy**—4 to 1 on Figaro.

IRISH PURSE—For 32 dogs beaten in first round of the Cup. Winner, £50; second, £20; two dogs, £10 each; four dogs, £5 each—£110.

III.

Stratum a bye; Fearful Fidget drawn.
Shawn O'Flynn a bye; Maiden drawn.
Prince of Burren beat Shanvalla.
Mount Severn beat Flight Commander.

IV.

Stratum beat Shawn O'Flynn.
Prince of Burren beat Mount Severn.

V.

Dr. D. C. Pearson's f. w. d. Prince of Burren (Kerry Prince—Princess Valera) beat Mr. J. M'Elistrim ns. bd. & Stratum (Spalding Bishop—Sunbird).

IRISH PLATE—For 16 dogs beaten in second round of Cup. Winner, £50; second, £20; two dogs, £5 each—£80.

II.

High Extract a bye.
Comrade Kiwi beat Miscaron.
Go Ballinode beat Miss Elwy.
Wane o' Day beat Shake Your Feet.

III.

High Extract beat Comrade Kiwi.
Wane o' Day beat Go Ballinode.

IV.

Mr. Mahon ns. bd. & High Extract (Beaded Dick—Flying Column III.) beat Mr. J. Daly ns. bd. & Wane o' Day (Guiding Hand—Dupe).

THE CUP.

Fifth Round.

Myra's Fancy beat Windgap.—Windgap seemed to run unsighted, but when he sighted the hare he shot across and pulled her down—no course. Slipped a second time, he rattled away for a three lengths lead, but overran the hare, and waited for her to come his way. She did not do so, and Windgap, rushing in, drove hard to kill, and went sprawling in a pool. The bitch became busy, and with the other standing off his game after an exchange she scored a few times quickly before effecting the death.

Figaro beat Hidden Maid.—Figaro stretched out four lengths for the turn, and, going with much fire, scored the second and third. Hidden Maid was pulled, and notched a couple, but before she could take full advantage of her chance Figaro raced in for a good kill.

Deciding Course.

Figaro beat Myra's Fancy.—Figaro immediately drew clear from slips, took a two lengths lead, and when he reached the hare he had increased his advantage to three lengths. Myra's Fancy had no chance whatever, for in a flash Figaro wrenched and killed.

ASSOCIATION.

START OF IRISH CUP.

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

Dromcondra v. Bray Unknowns. Tolka Park.
Shelbourne v. James's Gate. Shelbourne Park.

TO-MORROW'S MATCHES.

Brideville v. Dundalk. Inchicore, 2.45.
Cobh v. Shamrock Rovers. Rutland avenue, Fordsons v. Bohemians. Cork, 2.45.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

LEINSTER LEAGUE—Division I.

Richmond Rovers v. Bohemians. Richmond road.
Shamrock Rovers v. Richmond United. Milltown.
Edenville v. Shelbourne. Monkstown.
James's Gate v. Dromcondra. Iveagh Ground, Crumlin.
Frankford v. Glasnevin. Finglas.

TO-MORROW'S MATCHES.

Pendigo v. University College. The Thatch.
Strandville v. Dolphin. Richmond road.
St. Mary's v. Mullingar. Windy Arbour.
Brideville v. Dundalk. Inchicore.
Fordsons v. Bohemians. Cork.

LEINSTER LEAGUE—Division II.

Ranelagh v. Tramway. Terenure.
Bray Unknowns v. B.I.S.P. Bray.
St. Paul's v. Civil Service. Chapelizod.
Ormeau v. Distillery. Ballydowd.
C.Y.M.S. v. Alliance Gas. Terenure.

IRISH CUP—First Round.

Larne v. Lingfield. Windsor Park.
Lingfield Swifts v. Celtic. Celtic Park.
Ballymena v. Glentoran. The Oval.
Ards v. Broadway United.
Distillery v. Coleraine. Coleraine.
Glentoran v. Newry. Newry.
Cliftonville v. Bangor. Bangor.
Queen's Island v. Portadown. Portadown.

Bohemians—Captain H. Cannon; M. O'Kane, J. McCarthy; J. Byrne, J. McMahon (capt.), A. Morton; J. Bermingham, W. Dennis, J. White, A. Horlacher, P. Kavanagh. (Meet Kingsbridge Station at 4.45 p.m. to-day.)

Bohemians "B"—E. Commins; P. Lacy, E. Tucker; P. O'Kane, P. Andrews, H. Carroll, C. Allen, K. Matthews, C. McEvoy, C. Giles, J. Redmond, C. Duff.

ROWING.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY B.C.

Training for Michaelmas Term Races, to be rowed at Island Bridge on Thursday and Friday next, is drawing to a close, and on present indications it is likely that some 12 fours will enter. In addition there will be a sculling event and a tub pair race on inter-club lines.

The club will hold the annual "At Home" on Friday afternoon, when the finals will be rowed, followed by a dance.

RUGBY.

INTERPROVINCIAL TRIAL IN BELFAST.

TRINITY v. EDINBURGH.

This afternoon will be an important one in Irish Rugby circles, for, apart from the Inter-provincial match at Belfast, there is a big list of local engagements set down for decision.

The match at Ravenhill, Belfast, where the first of the season's Inter-provincial games will be played between Ulster and Munster, will be followed with much interest. The Southerners, who have selected their team on more or less experimental lines, will play as selected, but Ulster have suffered two changes, and important ones at that. G. V. Stephenson and W. F. Browne have declared off, and their places will be filled by J. C. Entrican, of Queen's, University, and J. Neill, of Instonians. Both the substitutes are right good players and the Northerners will suffer little by the changes.

A good game is promised, but the pace of the Ulster backs should give them a sufficient advantage to gain the day.

In local circles the chief attraction will be the Inter-University match between Dublin and Edinburgh in the College Park. The Scottish students travel with a good record, and a very close contest may be expected.

The meeting of Monkstown and Bective Rangers at Sydney Parade gives likelihood of providing a very interesting struggle, while Old Wesley may be fully extended to account for University College at Donnybrook.

Wanderers, having defeated Clontarf at Castle avenue last Saturday, may be expected to retain their unbeaten record in the return game with the Northsiders at headquarters, while Blackrock College, likely to have the advantage behind the scrums, should be able to account for Palmerston at Clonskeagh.

The Leinster Cup-holders, Lansdowne, travel South, and though they may not be at full strength, they will, doubtless, prove too strong for Cork Constitution.

There is a full list of matches listed in the Junior and Minor Leagues, while all the schools are fully occupied.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

INTERPROVINCIAL.

Ulster v. Munster. At Belfast, 2.30 p.m.
Dublin University v. Edinburgh University. At College Park. Referee—Mr. W. H. Acton.
Cork Constitution v. Lansdowne. At Cork.
Old Wesley v. University College. At Donnybrook. Mr. T. Bell.
Wanderers v. Clontarf. At Lansdowne road. Mr. W. A. Daish.
Monkstown v. Bective Rangers. At Sydney Parade. Mr. J. H. Miles.
Palmerston v. Blackrock. At Clonskeagh. Dr. J. Beckett.
Garryowen v. University College (Cork). At Limerick.

JUNIOR MATCHES.

Lansdowne 2nd v. Kingswood. At Lansdowne road.
Civil Service v. Palmerston 2nd. At Cabra.
Bective 2nd v. Monkstown 2nd. At Donnybrook.
Balbriggan v. Dublin University 2nd. At Balbriggan.
University College 2nd v. Old Wesley 2nd. At Terenure.
Wexford Wanderers v. Blackrock 2nd. At Wexford.
Malahide v. Railway Union. At Malahide.
Carlow v. Imperial Tobacco Co. At Carlow.
Monkstown 3rd v. Bective 3rd. At Sandymount road.
Suttonians v. Lansdowne 3rd. At Sutton.
Wanderers 3rd v. Clontarf 3rd. At Lansdowne road.
Palmerston 3rd v. Civil Service 2nd. At Clonskeagh.
Old Wesley 3rd v. University College 3rd. At Milltown.
Y.M.C.A. v. Balbriggan 2nd. At Claremont road.
Railway Union 2nd v. Malahide 2nd. At Park avenue.
Imperial Tobacco Co. 2nd v. College of Surgeons. At Crumlin.
Belvedere College (S.C.T.) v. King's Hospital (S.C.T.). Jones's road.
King's Hospital (S.C.T.) v. Belvedere College (J.C.T.). Blackhall place.
Castleknock College (under 14) v. Belvedere College (under 14). Castleknock.
Wesley College (S.C.T.) v. Mountjoy School (S.C.T.) Bloomfield, Donnybrook.
Mountjoy School 2nd v. Terenure College. Howth road.
Skerries v. Drogheda. Skerries.
All matches start at 2.45 p.m.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

MUNSTER.

Full-back—Gerald Barry (Young's Well).
Three-quarters—D. J. McMahon (Bohemians), F. W. Williamson (Dolphin), J. Griffin (Garryowen), and P. Hickey (Dolphin).
Half-backs—M. J. Wellwood (Bohemians) and J. B. Sheehan (Young Munsters).
Forwards—C. J. Hanrahan (Dolphin), J. P. Mullane (Bohemians), T. Casey (Young Munsters), C. Ifferman (Garryowen), J. Powell (Sunday's Well), M. Brosnan (Young Munsters), J. Crean (Dolphin), Noel Murphy (Cork Constitution).

ULSTER.

Full-back—J. W. Stuart (Bolton).
Three-quarters—R. M. Byers (North), J. C. Entrican (Queen's University), J. M. Atkinson (North), and A. C. Douglas (Instonians).
Half-backs—D. McGeown (Instonians) and J. A. Adrian (North).
Forwards—J. Neill (Instonians), G. R. Beamish (R.A.F. and Leicester), G. T. Payne (North), J. A. Siggins (Collegians), W. G. Dick (Instonians), W. Ross (Instonians), C. Dick (Queen's University), and J. P. Campbell (Instonians).

Dublin University—S. T. A. Radcliffe; J. C. Cherry, J. C. D. Hewat, D. B. Rountree, J. J. Crealy, M. Dee, R. S. Doyle, D. Barry, H. E. C. H. L. Dixon, V. J. Pike, J. T. McGuire, F. C. Jackson, H. Michael, H. V. Tighe, J. Conroy.

Dublin University 2nd—Knott; Davies, McNeilly, Harris, Hoenig, Cussen, Price, Graham, Graham, O'Brien, Milmo, Sutton, Johnston, Solomons, Baxter.

Wanderers—D. Kennedy; A. St. J. Vaughan, S. T. Hutchinson, J. Keegan, W. H. Pearce, P. J. Harris, P. Murray; A. M. Anderson, J. D. Clinch, A. J. Fisher, L. Halligan, H. J. Hilton, H. W. Potterton, J. R. Reilly, D. T. Young.

Wanderers 2nd—E. Vaughan; W. H. Keir, D. Collins, H. S. Beere, C. Maidment; L. Hall, V. P. McAllister; R. C. Ellis, P. C. Freer, M. McQuaid, D. Morrogh, A. L. Murfay, A. W. Nowlan; W. A. Philp, G. Robertson, Mourits.

Lansdowne—W. E. Crawford; J. E. Arigho, M. P. Crowe, N. H. Lambert, E. J. Lightfoot, T. A. O'Reilly, E. O'D. Davy, J. C. Bermingham, W. G. Brown, T. Conroy, H. C. Culley, J. J. Dunne, E. A. H. Heard, J. C. Powell, W. F. Power.

Lansdowne 2nd—D. Mulcahy; T. V. Harris, L. J. Heaney, A. E. Keatinge, M. P. Ruddle; T. Moran, H. Gibson; C. Carroll, M. Deering, Bardon, Ivan Barrett, M. Bell, C. R. Bulmer, C. E. Poulter, J. J. Winters, B. Neary.

Monkstown—J. M. O'Sullivan; J. Connell, J. R. Ganly, T. H. D. Wall, J. Williams; K. McMullen, A. N. B. Odbert; E. Mulhern, K. O'Farrell, J. J. Hooper, R. Ross-Todd, M. A. J. O'Reilly, N. Counihans, J. R. Shanks, R. V. Moncrief.

Bective—D. D. Moran; H. P. Lightfoot, M. A. Sheehan (capt.), J. A. O'Donnell, P. J. Little; A. Curtis, J. C. Arigho; C. Carroll, M. Deering, J. L. Farrell, P. J. Keane, T. J. Little, J. J. MacMorrough, J. J. Sheehan, A. Wade.

Bective 2nd—D. P. Morris; N. Cuddy, J. J. Corrigan, J. M. P. Lawlor, J. J. Fitzsimons; F. W. Gilligan, J. Nesbitt; E. W. Walker (capt.), P. Powell, M. J. Allister, J. J. Fitzsimons, J. J. Hogan, G. C. Higginbotham, K. P. Power, R. J. Seale.

Clontarf—D. J. Langan; T. J. G. Lawler, E. N. Seymour, A. D. A. Browne, J. O'Dwyer; G. A. Tyndall, D. Donovan; O. L. Mahony, P. H. Mooney, T. D. Murphy, J. D. Conaghan; W. D. E. A. H. Heard, J. C. Powell, W. F. Power.

Lansdowne 2nd—D. Mulcahy; T. V. Harris, L. J. Heaney, A. E. Keatinge, M. P. Ruddle; T. Moran, H. Gibson; C. Carroll, M. Deering, Bardon, Ivan Barrett, M. Bell, C. R. Bulmer, C. E. Poulter, J. J. Winters, B. Neary.

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Bective—D. D. Moran; H. P. Lightfoot, M. A. Sheehan (capt.), J. A. O'Donnell, P. J. Little; A. Curtis, J. C. Arigho; C. Carroll, M. Deering, J. L. Farrell, P. J. Keane, T. J. Little, J. J. MacMorrough, J. J. Sheehan, A. Wade.

Bective 2nd—D. P. Morris; N. Cuddy, J. J. Corrigan, J. M. P. Lawlor, J. J. Fitzsimons; F. W. Gilligan, J. Nesbitt; E. W. Walker (capt.), P. Powell, M. J. Allister, J. J. Fitzsimons, J. J. Hogan, G. C. Higginbotham, K. P. Power, R. J. Seale.

Clontarf—D. J. Langan; T. J. G. Lawler, E. N. Seymour, A. D. A. Browne, J. O'Dwyer; G. A. Tyndall, D. Donovan; O. L. Mahony, P. H. Mooney, T. D. Murphy, J. D. Conaghan; W. D. Scott; G. Giddings, G. S. Nowlan, J. P. Murphy; J. Carty, J. B. Mullally; T. H. Burke, Hogan; K. McFerran, J. F. Brown, R. Corcoran, D. Butler, J. D. Sheridan, M. Allan.

C.Y.M.S.—Coffey; Goff, Daly, Wallace, Martin; Nagle, Doyle; Batt, Noonan, Doherty, Murphy, Connolly, Nolan, Nolan, Molloy.

C.Y.M.S. 2nd—Taughman; Brennan, Kehoe, Manning, Walshe; Grogan, Walshe; O'Byrne, Duddy, Merry, Daniel, McGonigal, Fox, Caffrey, Buckley.

Balbriggan—G. McGowan; J. R. Laing, G. Cashell, M. Larkin, W. Heeney; W. Cumiskey, K. Heeney; F. Larkin, B. Larkin, A. Wade, J. Murdock, R. Wilson, P. Corry, A. Gallen, M. Butler.

Old Wesley—G. J. Young; F. H. Kapp, J. S. Cornish, W. R. Prescott, A. McGowan; E. B. Tombe, J. Willoughby (scrum); H. S. Ruttle, M. F. Maher, E. W. Massey (capt.), D. C. FitzPatrick, J. Beggs, H. D. Prim, A. W. Love, J. C. Douglas.

Old Wesley 2nd—W. G. Walker; L. Wilson, E. O. Holland, V. K. Bailey, A. P. Wheeler; O. Skeffington (scrum), N. Tombe; D. Towers, H. Weldon (capt.), G. Clegg, B. Kingston, N. Ingle, C. Cunningham, G. W. Johnston.

Palmerston—V. E. Kirwan; E. T. Wellwood, F. Dempsey, R. T. Falkiner, R. W. Cobbe; H. Reynolds, V. Hendrick; D. D. Hussey, C. M. Hill, T. Thompson, C. N. Kirwan, L. E. Thompson, J. V. Thompson, H. Doyle, V. E. Kerr.

Palmerston 2nd—E. Thompson; J. W. Nalsmith, H. Massey, W. McBride, K. Cahill; A. R. Russell, F. W. Moore; J. A. Mann, J. H. Thompson, J. R. Pratt, G. T. Greave, L. Caulfield, J. H. Keys, R. C. Trapnell, S. J. Headett.

Blackrock College—E. D. Willis; T. O'Donnell, F. Fullen, P. Crowe, L. Stanley, K. Devenish, J. Gorevan; M. Burns, T. Smith, R. Hoy, M. Walshe, M. Cogan, B. Glynn, T. O'Driscoll, D. Scully.

Railway Union—M. White; J. J. Scally, H. A. C. P. White, F. McQuillan; J. J. Scally, H. A. Watchorn; J. M. Glynn, S. Wilkie, W. P. Telford, J. P. Finegan, J. Reynolds, E. Bunyan, J. P. Finucane, P. F. McMahon. (Meet Amiens street Station, 1.45 p.m.)

Railway Union 2nd—Ryan; Cunningham, Behan, Murphy, Geddes; Banks, Doran; Cleary, McMahon, Burchill, Floyd, Kennefick, Roe, Doran, Molloy.

Malahide—H. S. Pembrey; M. Kennealy, J. J. Martin, S. J. Savage, G. H. Lalor; D. G. Marsh, F. Parkes; T. J. Brangan (capt.), J. D. Dickie, E. Cringie, M. W. O'Brien, P. J. Kevans, J. G. Murphy; A. P. Kennealy, L. W. Smith.

Mountjoy School—Colbert; Wright, J. D. Medcalf, F. Strath, A. W. Jeffers; P. G. Lougheed, C. E. Anderson; P. D. Rees, Jackson (capt.), J. Mayne, G. B. Warren, Watt, Inglis, E. Rowell, T. W. Lougheed.

THREE PLAYERS SUSPENDED.

The trouble between players which occurred at the end of the Gloucester and Cheltenham match, at Cheltenham, on November 10th, and ended in blows, was considered by the Committee of the Gloucester County Rugby Union yesterday.

The Committee—after a discussion lasting nearly four hours—decided to suspend N. Harries (Cheltenham) for eight weeks and J. Davis (Gloucester) for two weeks.

W. Roberts, who did not appear before the Committee, was suspended until he does attend.

The Committee also considered the complaint made by Aberavon against the Cheltenham Club of "poaching" players, and appointed a sub-committee to meet the Cheltenham Club before coming to a decision.

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INTER-UNIVERSITY BOXING.

HEAVY DEFEAT OF EDINBURGH.

TRINITY WIN FIVE MATCHES.

Last night, at the Gymnasium, Trinity College, Dublin University beat Edinburgh University by five contests to one, three of the victories being gained by knocks-out, while in two others the Scottish boxers retired.

In one of these instances it was from sheer distress, but in the other an injury to his knee forced the retirement of Geissa, who was meeting T. H. Dockrell in the heavyweight contest.

Geissa was put in at the last moment as substitute for A. L. Parker, who was unable to travel, and this was his first bout in public. He gave a good display, but, even had he been able to go the full journey, he would most certainly have lost on points.

The bantam-weight contest was not fought owing to the absence of the Scottish representative, J. E. Mathieson.

All round, the form shown by the Irishmen was much better than that of their opponents, for whom, however, the excuse has to be made that they had had a very rough passage, and only reached Dublin at midday. The only contest lost by the home team was the light-weight, in which A. R. Graham, of Edinburgh, beat J. C. Maguire. There can have been little in it at the finish, but an excellent first round by Graham gained him the verdict.

I. S. Fairley was much too good for A. D. Barker in a challenge fly-weight bout; and Guard Forde and T. Maloney fought an interesting exhibition over three rounds. Details:—

FEATHER-WEIGHT.

E. B. Williams (Dublin) knocked out Taki Faransawi (Edinburgh).

The Edinburgh man began aggressively, but was wild with his leads, and Williams easily avoided them. In the second the visitor was down for a count of seven, but had rather the better of the round, Williams still biding his time. He coming up for the third Williams brought the fight to close quarters, and after a couple of exchanges landed clean on the point with the left and knocked out his man.

LIGHT-WEIGHT.

A. R. Graham (Edinburgh) beat J. C. Maguire (Dublin) on points.

Graham rushed his man with a series of left and right swings, which he kept going merrily for the greater part of the first round, and piled up points rapidly. Maguire improved in the second and third, but really could do little against Graham's good defence, and, although the latter was slowing up towards the end of the bout, he had done enough to gain the verdict.

WELTER-WEIGHT.

I. Millar (Dublin) knocked out E. M. Webster (Edinburgh). Millar was much the stronger and cleverer boxer, and had his opponent covering up almost all the time in the first round, towards the end of which Millar, with a right hook, sent his man to the canvas. The bell saved Webster at the count of five. Early in the second Millar again brought over the right at close range, and sent Webster down for the full count.

MIDDLE-WEIGHT.

P. C. Cosgrove (Dublin) beat W. Phinney (Edinburgh) in the first round. The bout was under a minute under way when Phinney retired.

CRUISER-WEIGHT.

E. F. St. J. Lyburn (Dublin) knocked out J. Fergusson (Edinburgh). Fergusson began well with a left to the face, but Lyburn, getting to work, sent his man down with a right swing for a count of nine. Fergusson was down again for the same count, and was saved by the gong on a third occasion. He pluckily resumed the second, but a right hook to the jaw brought the bout to an end.

HEAVY-WEIGHT.

T. H. Dockrell (Dublin) beat A. M. Geissa (Edinburgh). There was little to choose between them, but Dockrell was rather the cleverer. In the third round Geissa, who suffered an injury to his knee, retired.

FLY-WEIGHT.

I. S. Fairley beat A. D. Barber. In a challenge match, displaying the better form all through and making good use of his left, Fairley won well on points.

GAELIC GAMES.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

TO-MORROW'S HURLING CARD.

(BY PAT'O.)

Following a slow opening, marked progress has been made in recent weeks, and the National Hurling and Football Leagues are now running smoothly. Uniformly good matches have resulted, with those occasional surprises which are the spice of sport.

Kildare's defeat by Wexford on Sunday was not even remotely anticipated. Pitch and weather suited the Wexfordmen, who broke up the champion's passing movements by close checking. Martin O'Neill, the Leinster Council Secretary, gave the home side a good start with an early goal, and thenceforward Kildare were struggling in the rear. The champions defeat makes the Division very open, and at least four counties are now in the running.

Kerry appear to have the Southern Division at their mercy, but the Northern Section presents a very interesting problem, with Armagh, Antrim, Louth, Cavan and Monaghan all evenly matched and confident.

Five matches in the National Hurling League are listed to-morrow. The meeting of Tipperary and Clare at Ennis will be a stern struggle. Clare have lost to Limerick and Cork by narrow margins, but they will be all out at home to-morrow to repeat their victory in the championship over Tipperary. Waterford's advance has been the feature of recent Munster games, and they will be given a fast pace to-morrow, but Galway should have little difficulty in capturing the points from Kerry, notwithstanding their long road journey southwards.

Dublin travel to Enniscorthy to meet Wexford, and the Garda selectors are taking no risks. Wexford hurlers share their footballers' optimism, yet I do not think they can have improved sufficiently to hold the 1927 champions. Leix and Meath will have a close struggle at Navan, where the promoted juniors are well served by the smooth, close surface of their home pitch.

To-morrow's games will throw light on the League positions. Victories for Cork, Tipperary, Dublin and Galway will narrow down the issue, and it is not unlikely that the All-Ireland finalists of 1928 will meet again in the League final.

The Leinster College Council have had flattering support. The initial draw had to be re-cast to include new entrants, and the vast majority of Leinster's secondary schools are affiliated. The competition opens at Croke Park this afternoon, when last year's football semi-finalists, Colaiste Caoimhin and Belcamp, meet. Football standard was very high last year, and the championships opening to-day promise well.

Croke Park has an attractive hurling final to-morrow (forenoon). Commercials and Civil Service are close rivals. Both teams have won their way to the final by steady training, consistent hurling, and perseverance. They are the outstanding clubs in the Intermediate Division, and have been playing well on winter pitches. Commercials' better combination may be the deciding factor.

TO-MORROW'S FIXTURES.

NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE—EASTERN DIVISION.

Enniscorthy—Wexford v. Dublin, 3.0 p.m. Mr. M. Walsh (Kilkenny) referee.
Navan—Meath v. Leix, 3.0 p.m. Mr. W. Allen (Drogheda) referee.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Ennis—Clare v. Tipperary, 3.0 p.m. Mr. D. Lanigan (Limerick) referee.
Waterford—Waterford v. Cork, 3.0 p.m. Mr. W. Walsh (Waterford) referee.
Kerry Venue—Kerry v. Galway. Mr. T. Hayes (Limerick) referee.
Miltown-Malbay—Clare v. Tipperary. Football Tie.
Croke Park—Commercials v. Civil Service. Intermediate Hurling Final, 11.45 a.m.

TO-DAY.

Croke Park—Leinster Colleges Championship. Football—Colaiste Caoimhin v. Belcamp College, 3.0 p.m.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN V. SMITH.

Newman improved his position very materially in yesterday afternoon's session of his time match with Smith at Manchester, as the ex-champion scored over 1,200 points, while Smith totalled only 239.

The chief break of the play was one of 883 by Newman, and in this he exploited the cannon game freely. Previously he had had 156, 73, and 220; while Smith was singularly unsuccessful in his scoring, his best contributions being 69, 73 and 66. Interval scores:—Smith (in play), 7,570; Newman, 5,219.

A feature of the evening session was an unfinished break by Smith of 870, who completely outpointed his opponent. He had a score of 1,220, while Newman scored only 290. Apart from his big break, Smith had runs of 182 and 157, and Newman had an innings of 150. Closing scores:—Smith (in play), 8,784; Newman, 8,510.

Owing to the storm, which disorganised the telegraph service, our Sporting and Financial News is considerably curtailed this morning.

HOCKEY.

THE LEINSTER LEAGUES.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

SENIOR LEAGUE.

Monkstown v. National Bank. Royal terrace.
Dalkey v. Three Rock Rovers. Stillorgan road, 2 o'clock. Messrs. W. McDonnell and F. Scales.
Dublin University v. Corinthians. College Park, 2 o'clock. Messrs. G. Ireland and A. Orr.
Kingstown G.S. v. Pembroke Wanderers. Tivoli terrace. Messrs. L. Morrison and D. Robinson.
Wicklow v. Railway Union. Wicklow (1 o'clock bus leaves Red Bank). Messrs. W. McGlennon and F. Hirst.

MIDDLE LEAGUE.

Three Rock Rovers 2nd v. Dublin University II, Foxrock. Mr. P. Bermingham.
Pembroke Wanderers 2nd v. Avoca. Serpentine avenue, 2 o'clock. Messrs. W. Mallon and T. Bissette.
Dalkey 2nd v. Kingstown G.S. 2nd. Stillorgan road. Messrs. W. McDonnell and F. Scales.
North Kildare v. Portrane. Kilcock. Messrs. R. Sutton and J. Leahy.
Civil Service v. Monkstown 2nd. Cabra. Messrs. P. Peterson and R. Wolfe.
Railway 2nd v. Naas. Park avenue, 3.15. Messrs. W. Seaman and W. Twamley.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE A.

Kingstown G.S. 3rd v. Monkstown 3rd. Royal terrace. Messrs. A. Black and Gardiner.
Railway 3rd v. Y.M.C.A. Park avenue, 2 o'clock. Messrs. W. Seaman and W. Twamley.
Corinthians 2nd v. St. Molbius. The Stiles.
Dublin University 3rd v. Fairview C.Y.M.S. College Park, 3.15. Mr. G. Ireland and A. N. Umpire.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE B.

Mountjoy School v. Civil Service 2nd. Clontarf.
Three Rock Rovers 3rd v. National Bank 2nd. Kimmage road.
Bray Rovers v. Pembroke Wanderers 3rd. Bray.
Kelwood v. Railway 4th. Cloghran.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Fairview C.Y.M.S. 2nd v. Monkstown 4th. Philipsburgh avenue.
Railway 5th v. Dalkey 3rd. Clonskea.
Lido v. Mountjoy 2nd. The Stiles.
Pembroke Wanderers 4th v. Bray Rovers 2nd. Serpentine avenue, 3.15. Messrs. W. Mellon and T. Bissette.
Corinthians 3rd v. Brookville. The Stiles.
Grangegorman v. Dublin University 4th. Grangegorman.
Official time (unless otherwise arranged), 3.0.

LEINSTER LADIES' UNION.

SENIOR CUP.

Civil Service v. Maids of the Mountain 2nd. Cabra.
Monkstown v. Triginta. Clonskeagh.

SENIOR LEAGUE—A.

Pembroke Wanderers v. Grangegorman. Serpentine avenue, 2.30.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE—1.

Nutgrove v. Old Wesley. 3 o'clock.

MIDDLE LEAGUE—A.

U.C.D. 2nd v. Shielmartin, 3.15.

MIDDLE LEAGUE—1.

R. and S.P.C. v. Old Rutland, 3 o'clock.

JUNIOR LEAGUE—A.

Rutland High School v. Imperial. Willmount, 3 o'clock.

CLUB MATCHES.

Muckross v. Optimists "A." Leinster C.C., 3.30.
Muckross 2nd v. Antiquity 2nd. Tritonville road, 3 o'clock.
Optimists v. Old College.
Monkstown v. Optimists 3rd, 3 o'clock.

INTERMEDIATE BADGES.

Muckross 3rd v. Glenageary. Leinster C.C., 2.30.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Railway Union—W. C. Leopold; K. N. Browner, M. C. O'Donoghue; J. J. Corscadden, W. Chiddick, R. Williams; T. C. Browner, C. Sully, V. Sully, M. Sully and W. E. Hennessy.

Railway Union 2nd—W. McClelland; E. J. Short, J. T. Ryan (capt.), C. Johnston; M. J. Doogan, D. O'Malley, H. J. Bollard, T. Spearman, G. Erskine, W. Rudd, Rev. F. Bennett.

Three Rock Rovers—F. Eustace; C. Somerville-Large, R. M. Corbet; R. Brown, G. Boyd, A. P. Hunt; S. Leonard, F. M. Eagar, J. Mahony, J. M. Eyre, M. H. Medcalfe.

Three Rock Rovers 2nd—H. Brown; W. Campbell, C. Mill; R. S. Wix, R. Large, J. W. F. Crawford, A. Robinson, C. Huttanshaw, R. Evans, O. J. O'Reilly, R. J. Leonard.

Monkstown—E. Gallagher; P. G. Williams (capt.), G. Darcus; E. E. Dormer, Tindall, J. Hamilton, A. White, E. Gray, J. McElveen, S. H. Hopkins, John Gray.

Monkstown 2nd—A. R. Knight; A. J. Ormsby, F. W. Flynn; James Gray, C. Dormer (capt.), C. E. Macaulay; R. McNamara, F. Meares, A. Knight, W. Sleith, H. Knight.

Kingstown G.S.—F. Whitney; I. McFerran, I. Varian; L. S. Phillips, E. Winder, R. E. Felton; T. Staples, E. F. Duke, W. C. Ritchie, C. W. Cook (capt.), S. Cheetham.

Kingstown G.S. 2nd—J. Kellett; G. Browne, G. B. Mooney; S. Sutton, W. Harris, H. Moore; E. McCormack, E. Maguire, D. Jones, F. Maxwell, E. Good.

Corinthian—From B. W. Keegan; E. Dewar, D. Campbell; G. H. Coughlan, G. Gregory, G. H. Shaw; H. V. Keegan, A. R. Gray, A. J. Keegan, A. W. Palk, C. S. Brislane, J. Shannon.

Corinthian 2nd—E. Prowse; J. Sampson, J. Deane; C. Grant, F. Smith, J. Christie; J. C. Oulton, H. Owen, J. Kelly, G. Graydon, F. McKenna.

Mountjoy—G. T. Ss. Keays; L. Moore, A. N. Roberts; D. Sullivan, T. Rafter, C. Baldwin, R. G. Roark, W. D. Mégran J. Brewster (capt.), D. A. Gibson, S. Knight.

Mountjoy 2nd—R. Mullen; R. H. Ardill, J. Campbell; E. W. Blackmore, T. W. Webb, G. Sloan (capt.); V. H. Bowers, W. O'Neill, E. H. S. Johnston, R. H. Miley, R. J. Buttimore.

Old Rutland—Misses R. McGrath; M. Watts, J. Rutledge (capt.); V. Smith, D. Clarke, S. Dunwoody; P. Williamson, W. Thompson, E. McGrath, W. Smith, P. Freeman.

Old Rutland 2nd—Misses M. Thompson; W. Dickinson, B. Thompson; E. McConnell, D. Dunwoody, W. Wilson; B. Walton, E.

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including: A very fine German Upright Cottage Pianoforte, in handsome Burr walnut case, full iron frame, overstrung, under damper, ivory keys, etc.; four other sweet-toned Cottage Pianofortes, by "Collard and Collard," "Bord," Paris, etc.; Piano Player and 25 Rolls Music, Gramophones and Records, Pedrail Bacon-Slicing Machine, set of 3 Plated Dish Covers, and another set of 2 ditto; elegant Sheraton Bureau, of choice manufacture; pair of Gilt Shield-shape 3-branch Girandoles, massive Cut and Pierced Brass Curb, large pair Marli Horses, and pair of smaller ditto; Marble Mantel Clock, visible escapement movement; set of 10 Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs, in moquette; beautiful Walnut Chiffonier, with marble top and glass back; 4ft. Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet, 5ft. ditto, 3ft. Walnut ditto, with lead light doors; several exceptional Mahogany, Walnut and Oak SIDEBOARDS AND CABINETS; Mahogany Screw-expanding DINING TABLES, with extra leaves, various sizes; sets of Mahogany Dining Chairs, 6, 8 and 12 in each; Lounge and Easy Chairs, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Louis and other designs China Cabinets, Mahogany and Walnut Hall Stands and Chairs; a number of high-class DRAWINGROOM AND DININGROOM SUITES, in various coverings; handsome Overmantels and Gilt Pier Glasses; MAHOGANY, WALNUT, OAK AND ASH BEDROOM SUITES, Double and Single-size Wardrobes, Duchesse Pairs, Dressing Chests, Washstands, Chests of Drawers, Toilet Mirrors, etc.; Pictures, Paintings, Engravings and Coloured Prints; Silver and Plated Ware, together with a large assemblage of clean Miscellaneous Furniture and Effects; also large Mahogany-top Counter, Shop Fittings and Stands, Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Two-Valve Wireless Set, in oak case, etc., etc.
AUCTION STARTS 1 P.M. EACH DAY. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING, AT 6.30,
IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANTS' QUAY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF DIAMONDS, GOLD WATCHES, JEWELLERY, PIANOS, SILVER, PLATED WARE, PRISM GLASSES, CAMERAS, VIOLINS, &c.,
FROM THE WINETAVERN STREET PAWN OFFICE.

Comprising: BEAUTIFUL 8-POINT BRILLIANT DIAMOND STAR (or BROOCH or HAIR ORNAMENT), DOUBLE DIAMOND CRESCENT BROOCH, SINGLE DO. 8-STONE, 12-HOOP CLUSTER and MARQUESE DIAMOND RINGS, Diamond and other Gem Set Rings, fashionable Gold Keyless Watches (by Peerless and Campbell, etc.), Diamond and Sapphire Wristlet Watch, Gold Bangles, Brooches, Pins, Links and Studs, Gold Purse, Gold Cigarette Case, SILVER and O.S. PLATE, Tea Set, Salver, Cups, Cases of Fish and Fruit Knives, small Set of Spoons and Forks, O.S. URN, Shell and Gadroon Border Trays, &c., MISCELLANEOUS, 3 GERMAN UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOS (PRACTICALLY IN NEW CONDITION, by STEUER, SCHIEDMAYER and KUHLA), H.M.V. CABINET GRAMAPHONE, Cabinet Victrolas, Violoncello, Violins, Waterford Glass Bowl, costly Botanical Microscope, solid Silver Corset, Interesting Bronze Statuette of the Limerick Piper; one dozen Cameras, including 3 costly Press Cameras, with Cooke Lens; Lady's Fur Motor Coat, with other interesting Property.
On View at Auction Rooms Next Wednesday, from 11 o'clock to 5. SALE, 6.30. PIANOS TO BE SOLD at 8 o'clock.

GARLAND, AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, 8 MERCHANTS' QUAY.

ANDREW J. KEOGH'S SALES

AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,
ON NEXT FRIDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, AT 1.30.
OLD-ESTABLISHED LICENSED HOUSE,
DUNNE'S, 4 CANAL PLACE, JAMES'S STREET
HARBOUR, GRAND CANAL.

(BY DIRECTION OF THE OWNERS, WHO ARE RETIRING FROM BUSINESS).

The Property has been in the Vendor's family for over fifty years, and will be Sold by way of sub-lease for 500 years, subject to £50 yearly. The Poor Law Valuation is £50.
The Premises have been maintained in perfect order, and contain a well-planned Spirit Bar, Billiard Room, Tiled Store and Yard; also comfortable Residence, having separate hall entrance, consisting of drawing and diningroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery, bathroom (with hot and cold supply), etc. On the new thoroughfare, from Cork street to the Canal, over 200 Residences will be erected; this and other building schemes in the vicinity, when completed, should substantially supplement the trading of this House.
Cards to View and particulars of trading from AUCTIONEER.
Conditions of Sale from Messrs. A. & L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, 24 Dame street.

FRIDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, AT 1.30.
PEMBROKE TOWNSHIP.
ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENTS—RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES, 95 AND 97 STRAND ROAD, SANDYMOUNT (IN TWO LOTS).

HELD, WITH NOS. 91 and 93 STRAND ROAD, UNDER LEASE FOR 99½ YEARS FROM SEPTEMBER, 1909. EACH WILL BE SOLD PRIMARILY LIABLE TO AN ANNUAL RENT OF £5.
LOT 1.—95 STRAND ROAD is let to a quarterly tenant at £65 per annum, landlord paying taxes. P.L.V., £27.
LOT 2.—97 STRAND ROAD is sub-leased for 5 years from 1926 at £82 per annum, landlord paying taxes. P.L.V., £27.
DOUBLE-FRONTED HOUSES, each containing drawing and diningroom, with folding doors; breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, maid's apartment, kitchen, bathroom (h. and c. supply); long garden. No. 97 has garage and electric light.
Conditions of Sale from Messrs. JOYCE & JOYCE, Solicitors, 128 St. Stephen's Green.

IMPORTANT SPIRIT BAR, FAVOURABLY KNOWN UNDER THE SIGN OF
"THE RED LION,"
46 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET AND 57 STEPHEN STREET (JUNCTION OF AUNGIER STREET).
SPLENDID BUSINESS POSITION.

AN IMPOSING CORNER STRUCTURE, HELD FROM THE SOUTH CITY MARKETS CO., FOR A TERM OF 99 YEARS FROM THE 1st JANUARY, 1890; AT THE ADJUSTED YEARLY RENT OF £95 12s. 6d.
(PER INSTRUCTIONS OF THE OWNER.)

This Property occupies a position in the main city artery that gives it a perpetual free advertisement, and has secured for it a successful trading. It consists of lofty and splendidly appointed Bar, with three porch entrances, select smokeroom, lavatory on bar level; excellent cellarage.
The commodious Residence, which is reached by separate hall entrance, is a feature of importance, the first two flats containing a spacious sitting-room, and the third having four apartments and combined bathroom. In this connection, it may be mentioned that an owner not requiring the residential portion could obtain for same a handsome yearly income.
The Property was built by the South City Markets Co. after up-to-date plans and at considerable expense. It is one of the few properties of its kind that holds an asset of considerable magnitude, irrespective of the great value of the licence, property in the immediate vicinity commanding substantial rents.
Conditions of Sale from JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor, 58 Parnell square.
Particulars of trading and view cards from Auctioneer.

CENTRAL CITY LICENSED PREMISES,
THE HORSESHOE BAR, 18 PARLIAMENT STREET

(BY DIRECTION OF MR. TIMOTHY GROGAN, WHO INTENDS DEVOTING ENTIRE ATTENTION TO HIS RECENTLY ACQUIRED LEESON STREET LICENSED PROPERTY).

Soundly built four-storey structure of red brick, with conspicuous double dial clock on facade, consisting of an expensively fitted bar in mahogany, with marble top counter and bevelled mirror reflectors; private enclosures at either end of bar; cellarage, with enclosed bins and goods lift; lavatory, with tiled walls; dwelling apartments, comprising drawingroom, diningroom, three bedrooms, bath (h. and c. supply), fixed hand basin, kitchen (copper cylinder and close range). The entire is in perfect order, and is held for 100 years from June, 1906, at the yearly rent of £95.
This is an attractive business investment, and happens to be the only premises of its kind on the eastern side of this busy thoroughfare.
Conditions of Sale from Messrs. CROWLEY, BOLGER & CUSACK, Solicitors, 3 and 4 Lower O'Connell street.

THE WHITEHORSE BAR, 28 ELLIS'S QUAY

(PER INSTRUCTIONS OF MR. D. H. RUSSELL, WHO IS RETIRING OWING TO ILL HEALTH).

A compact Spirit Bar, neatly appointed and in good order; store, cellarage and yard; also five dwelling apartments and bathroom; electric light and telephone service; garage at rear, which is let at twenty-five shillings per month. Lease 75 years from September, 1881, at £15 yearly.
This is an economic holding, the rent receivable from the garage being in excess of the head rent.
Conditions of Sale from WILLIAM MOONEY & SONS, Solicitors, 16 Fleet street.

ANDREW J. KEOGH, AUCTIONEER, 10 LR. ORMOND QUAY.

FURNITURE, SILVER, &c.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, will SELL on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5th, 1928, in their SALEROOMS, Commencing at 12 noon, A COLLECTION OF
ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE;
SILVER, GLASS, CHINA AND PICTURES.
INTENDING VENDORS WILL PLEASE COMMUNICATE AT AN EARLY DATE WITH

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALE
AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
EVERY THURSDAY.
ENTRIES INVITED.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

GRAZING TO LET.

SALLINS	21 Acres.
DUNSHAUGHLIN	60 Acres.
CASTLEKNOCK	9 Acres.
BLANCHARDSTOWN	20 Acres.
JULIANSTOWN	50 Acres.

Apply—

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

BALALLY, DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN.

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE
SALE OF STOCK, CROPS, FARM MACHINERY, IMPLEMENTS, &c.

THE Executors of the late M. Barrington Jellett, having disposed of the Farm, have instructed us to
SELL BY AUCTION,
At the Farm Yard, BALALLY, DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN,
On TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, 18th and 19th DECEMBER, 1928,
Commencing at 12 o'clock each day,
the entire Stock, Crops, Farm Machinery, Implements, etc., comprising 24 Cattle (principally A.A. crosses), 61 Ewes (heavy in lamb), 2 Suffolk Rams, 10 Cheviot Wethers, 2 exceptionally good Working Horses, 1 Young Donkey.
About 80 Tons very good First Crop and 50 Tons Old Meadow Hay, Rick of Straw, a quantity of Potatoes, Turnips and Mangolds.
20 h.p. Hornsby Oil Engine, Ruston and Proctor Thresher (42 inch drum), Bamford Root Cutter and Pulper, Bamford Chaff Cutter, Bamford Oat Bruiser and Kibler, Shafting, Belting, Pulley Wheels, etc.
25 Volt Dynamo and Switch Board, 3½ h.p. Fairbanks-Morse Engine, Benthal Bone Crusher, Deering Reaper and Binder, Deering two-horse Mowing Machine (Reaper attachment), Pierce two-horse Mowing Machine, Deering Disc Sower, Ransome Hay Rake, 2-Chill Ploughs (Pierce and Ransome), Martin Cultivator, Turnip Sower, Harrows, Grubbers, 2 Double-Mould Board Ploughs, 4 Farm Carts and Float (in excellent condition), Round rubber-tyred Trap, Handcart, 4 Sets Cart Harness, 1 Set Driving Harness, Back Bands, Chains, etc.; Metal Roller, Drill Roller, 2 Hay bogies, Pierce Hay Tedder, Water Cart, Sheep Rack, Iron and Wooden Gates and Posts, Iron Fixing and Gutters, Stone and Wooden Feeding Troughs, a quantity of Paling Rails, Empire Fencing, Corrugated Iron and Timber, about 100 Railway Sleepers, Iron Water Tanks, Barrels, Lime Sprayer, Double-action Trench Pump, Anvil, Bellows and Forge Tools, Forks, Shovels, Picks, Spades, a large quantity of Garden Tools, Hen Houses, Chicken Coops, and about 20 head Pure-bred Fowl.
N.B.—Live Stock will be sold at 12 o'clock on Wednesday. Terms at Sale.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.,
Auctioneers,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

DUBLIN WOOL SALES.

NEXT AUCTION:
WEDNESDAY, 5th DECEMBER.

Intending Consignors should forward immediately in order to facilitate the work of grading and selecting.

GANLY, SONS & CO.,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

CITY OF CORK.

In the Matter of Newsom and Sons, Ltd. (In Voluntary Liquidation).
SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
Of
Extensive City Premises, situate at Marlboro' street, Cork, comprising the Offices, Press and Printing Rooms of the above Company, proprietors of the "Cork Constitution" Newspaper;
ALSO
THE OFFICE FURNITURE AND FIXTURES, SAFES, &c.

W. MARSH AND SONS are instructed by the Liquidator to Sell by Auction at MARLBORO' STREET, CORK, on TUESDAY NEXT, 27th NOVEMBER, 1928, at Twelve o'clock, the Premises and Furniture in above. The Premises for Sale comprise Nos. 40 and 41 Marlboro' street, held on lease for a term of 125 years, from the 5th March, 1901. Rent, £66 p.a.; P.L.V., £47.
No. 42 Marlboro' street, held on lease for a term of 500 years from 1st May, 1790. Rent, £19 13s. 6d. p.a.; P.L.V., £24.
Part of No. 38 Marlboro' street, held on lease for a term of 30 years, from 1st January, 1912. Rent, £20; now sub-let to a monthly tenant at £24 per annum.
The entire property comprises ground floor offices with extensive store at rear; Editorial Offices, Press Rooms, and Spacious Printing Rooms overhead. Clear possession will be given to the purchaser, excepting portion of No. 38 sublet.
OFFICE FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.
After the Premises are offered for Sale, the Furniture and Effects will be sold by auction.
For Conditions of Sale of the Premises apply to ARTHUR JULIAN, Solicitor, 43 South Mall, Cork.
WILLIAM L. WHITE, F.S.A.A., Liquidator, 11 South Mall, Cork.

W. MARSH & SONS,
Auctioneers, CORK.

CLEARANCE SALE.

KILCREAGH, DONABATE.

HAVING Sold this Farm, we are instructed to SELL BY AUCTION on MONDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 12.30 o'clock, Household Furniture and Outdoor Effects, Farming Implements, 11 Cattle, Poultry, Manure, etc. Terms at Sale.

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD.,
(M.I.A.A.),
5 SMITHFIELD.

LANDS TO LET.

150 Acres at OLDBAWN and BALLYMANA, near TALLAGHT.
80 " at OAKLEY PARK, CELBRIDGE.
140 " at KILBRIDE, CLONDALKIN.
Particulars from—

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD.,
(M.I.A.A.),
5 SMITHFIELD.

BALBRIGGAN LIVE STOCK SALES,
TUESDAY NEXT,
27th NOVEMBER, at 12 o'clock.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

MILLTOWN, ASHBOURNE, CO. MEATH—On Wednesday next, 28th November, 1928, at 2 o'clock, Letting of 123 Irish acres, for Grazing and Meadowing, in nice-sized divisions, for the Executors of Martin Doyle, Deceased.

FLAT HOUSE and CRADDOCKSTOWN, DUNBOYNE, CO. MEATH—On Friday, 30th November, 1928, at 12 o'clock, Letting of 100 acres Grazing Land, in divisions, with good keep, by Public Auction, for Mrs. Connolly.

MABESTOWN, THE WARD, CO. DUBLIN—On Same Day (Friday), at 1 o'clock, Letting of 104 Acres Grazing Land, in divisions, with good keep, by Public Auction, for Mrs. Connolly.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

RESIDENTIAL FARM

FOR SALE PRIVATELY.
Containing 100 odd acres Prime Fattening Land. Rent £106 0/4; P.L.V. £136 10/-. Gentleman's Residence in good repair, situated convenient to Balbriggan and 16 miles north of Dublin. Clear possession.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

BALBRIGGAN, CO. DUBLIN.

DWELLINGHOUSE & PREMISES

FOR SALE PRIVATELY.
Double-fronted House, stone built and slated, containing playground, diningroom, kitchen, maid's room, pantry, scullery, 5 good bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., with spacious yard, containing horse and cattle sheds, large store (lofted), hay shed, etc., all in perfect order, requiring no outlay. nicely situated in the town of Balbriggan; held in fee-simple; total P.L.V. £23. Apply

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

GRAZING LETTINGS BY PRIVATE TREATY.

70 acres at The Ward, 40 at Portmarnock, 200 at Rathcoffey, 35 at Fieldstown, 26, 15 and 8 at Bollymun, 60 at Santry, 40 at Clondalkin, with abundance of keep; 26 and 19 at Ardcath, 19 at Rathangan.

JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.,
Auctioneers, Valuers and Live Stock Salesmen,
31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

PRIME GRAZING,

For L. Collins, Esq.,
FRIDAY, 30th NOVEMBER, at 1.30, at
COMMONS,
On the 10-Mile-Bush road, for L. Collins, Esq., 27 Acres, 11 Acres, 12 Acres, 5 Acres Aftergrass and good keep.
SAME DAY, at 2.30, at
BARRSTOWN.
Beside The Hatchet.
19 Acres, 27 Acres, 10 Acres, all in Aftergrass.

LEONARD, SON & CO., LTD.

COUNTY LOUTH.

SALE OF EXCELLENT RESIDENTIAL FARM AT BOLIES, CASTLEBELLINGHAM,
For C. Smith, Esq.
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 28th NOVEMBER, 1928,
In the COURTHOUSE, ARDEE, at 1.30.
All that Farm, containing 87 acres Statute measure, or thereabouts, Prime Tillage or Grazing Lands, all green except 8 acres, Annuity £96 2/10, Poor Law Valuation £113 5/-, with splendid Two-storeyed Residence, slated Out-offices, and Iron Hay Barn.
JOHN OLIN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Ardee.

KIERAN & McGEE,
Auctioneers, etc.,
ARDEE, CO. LOUTH.

COLLON, CO. LOUTH.

SALE OF FARM, WITH SUBSTANTIAL RESIDENCE AND OUT-OFFICES,
For Richard Howard, Esq.,
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 28th NOVEMBER, 1928,
In the COURTHOUSE, ARDEE, at 2 o'clock,
All that substantial Residence, Yard and Out-offices known as "Factory House," together with 15 acres, Statute measure, or thereabouts, Annuity, £25 6/-; Poor Law Valuation, £35. This attractive Holding is situated within the village of Collon, six miles from Drogheda and five miles from Ardee. Two-storeyed Residence, 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., etc.; water supply by gravitation. Good 'bus service daily to and from Dublin and all local towns.
M. L. COLAHAN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Ballinafoy.

KIERAN & McGEE,
Auctioneers, etc.,
ARDEE, CO. LOUTH.

TOWN OF CARLOW.

SALE OF DWELLING AND VALUABLE PREMISES, FORMERLY KNOWN AS
THE COUNTY CLUB HOUSE,
DUBLIN STREET, CARLOW.

SUBSCRIBER has received instructions to offer for Sale the above well-known Premises, which were, until recently, used as Offices, etc., by the Irish Sugar Manufacturing Co. The Residence is substantially built, and consists of 3 storeys, with basement, containing 8 bedrooms, 3 reception, ballroom (42 x 24), supper room adjoining (36 x 16), with water, gas and electric light installations. A considerable sum was spent lately on fitting and decorating. The building faces the Station road, and has a very imposing frontage, with separate yard entrance. There is stabling for 35 horses, 2 coach-houses, with extensive lofting, and spacious yard accommodation. There is also an enclosed garden of about ½ acre. The position and extent of these Premises offer an unique opportunity for enterprise, and with such a nominal rent should attract purchasers.
The Property is held under Fee-Farm Grant dated 24th December, 1858, at the nominal rent of £6 17/- per annum.
Tenders (in writing) to be submitted to the Solicitor having Carriage of Sale.
For further particulars apply to JOHN J. DUGGAN, Solicitor, Carlow; or

PATRICK C. BERGIN,
Auctioneer, CARLOW.

FOR SENDING ABROAD TO FRIENDS the best Irish Paper is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Price Twopence.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 27TH NOVEMBER,
67 MARLBOROUGH ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

DESIRABLY-SITUATED HOUSE, within three or four minutes' walk of Donnybrook and Clonskeagh trams. House contains 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, maid's room, with kitchen, pantries, etc.; electric light. Held for 480 years from 1862, subject, with other houses, to £25 a year, but indemnified against £21 17s. 6d. thereof, and sold subject to £3 2s. 6d. per annum. Clear possession.
Messrs. THOMAS GERRARD & CO., 25 Westmoreland street.

BOHEMIAN PICTURE THEATRE, PHIBSBORO'.

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

THIS ADMIRABLY-SITUATED CINEMA THEATRE, held for 99 years from 1913, subject to £40 per annum, will be Sold together with MACHINERY AND PLANT, which are up-to-date and in perfect working order. Capable of being started at once.
THE THEATRE is about 134 feet 6in. by 40 feet, with balcony, and has seating accommodation for about 800 people. It is a substantial structure, erected in 1914, under the supervision of an eminent architect, as an up-to-date Cinema. It has 14-inch brick walls, steel stanchions, supporting iron-framed girders to carry roof. It has all necessary accommodation for the public, and is licensed for the exhibition of films, and for music, singing and dancing. A passage 15 feet wide, in addition to above measurements, runs beside the Theatre, and into this passage emergency doors open.
EQUIPMENT, consisting of 25 h.p. Crossley gas engine, with belting, dynamos and switch board; Kalee No. 6 Projectors, with Dalmeyer wide aperture Series 1a lenses, with high intensity arcs, complete with motors, etc.; slide projector, switch board, film box, spools, etc. A large amount of Seating (not assembled), with runners, carpet and linoleum, office furniture. Modern low pressure water heating apparatus throughout the building.
The theatre is situate in the centre of a populous district, and the population is rapidly increasing, and very many new houses have been, and are being, erected in the immediate neighbourhood.
T. P. ROBINSON, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 3 and 4 Lower O'Connell street.

SALE ON THE PREMISES.
TUESDAY, 11TH DECEMBER.
"ANNAMORE," BALLYFERMOT, CHAPELIZOD.
LEASEHOLD INTEREST AND FURNITURE.

Standing detached on a healthy elevated position, with an acre of ground. NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE, containing 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, scullery, pantries; wired for electric light. In first-class condition, newly painted and decorated, requires no outlay. Out-offices, consisting of garage, with kennels and concrete yard. Held for about 100 years, subject to £10 per annum. Clear possession.
ALSO
PRACTICALLY NEW FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Comprising: Diningroom Suite of Jacobean oak, comprising Sideboard, Overmantel, Wall Mirror, Telescopic Dining Table, set of six Chairs and two Carvers, all en suite. Also Jacobean Bureau and Bookcase, Easy Chairs, Lounge Chairs, Fire Sets with Coal Vases, Parquetry and other Linoleum, Hearth Rugs, Octagonal and Circular Tables, Suites of Chenille and other Curtains; Oak Hall Stand, with mirror back; Table, Grand Gramophone with Automatic Voice and Records, Marconi Two-Valve Wireless Set, two Petrol Lamps, Tantalus, etc.; Jacobean style Bedroom Suite, with Bed to match; Oak Chest of Drawers, Double Walnut Bedroom Suite, Inlaid Mahogany Bed and Spring and Bedding, including new Blankets, Down Quilts, Linen, etc. Also practically new Stair Carpeting of Persian pattern, with Angle Rods; Kitchen Furniture and Culinary Utensils, Metal Garden Seats, Garden Tools, Shamrock Fire Stove, pair of Metal Garden Vases, Steam-jacket Boiler, Iron Railings, Wheelbarrow; also Potatoes, Turnips, etc., in the ground.
ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS from 10-5.
DANIEL J. REILLY, Solicitor, Trim.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
110 GRAFTON STREET.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—Delia Burke, Deceased.
COMPACT, COMFORTABLE HOUSE—POSSESSION.
16 GERALDINE STREET
(Opposite Berkeley street Catholic Church.)
Lease 400 years from 1869, at £2: P.L.V. £12.
FOR AUCTION ON THE PREMISES,
On TUESDAY, 4th DECEMBER, at 12 noon.
One storey at front, containing parlour, 2 bedrooms and kitchen; garden front and rear, outoffices; and back entrance; overlooks at rear Phibsborough Basin (Blessington street) Park; adjacent to St. Joseph's Church and tram line (1d. to Pillar). A respectable and greatly favoured middle-class residential district, where vacant houses are always scarce. Immediate possession. Key with Auctioneer.
ON SAME DAY, IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SALE OF THE HOUSE, THE FURNITURE THEREIN WILL BE AUCTIONED.
It consists mainly of Mahogany Enclosed Sideboard, Mahogany Leo Couch, Walnut Inlaid Folding Card Table, 6 Mahogany Dining Chairs,

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.
ESTABLISHED 1815.

THURSDAY NEXT, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK,
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

B. & Co. "WOODPARK," VERNON AVE., CLONTARF. Nov. 29TH
DETACHED RESIDENCE ON OVER 2 ACRES. POSSESSION. Three reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, bathroom (h. and c.), w.c., kitchen; garden, garage, coach-house and stabling. Held for 150 years from 1926, subject to the yearly rent of £40. Photo Auctioneers' Offices. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or FRANKS & OULTON, Solicitors, 21 Lr. Fitzwilliam St.

B. & Co. 138 THOMAS STREET. Nov. 29TH
SHOP PREMISES AND DWELLINGHOUSE. POSSESSION. Comprises good shop, with workshop, and workroom; garage; 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom and w.c.; electric light and power. Held for 90 years, subject to the yearly rent of £70. Soon on Order. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or R. GREENE & SONS, Solicitors, 11 Wellington quay.

FRIDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 30TH, AT 12 O'CLOCK.
AUCTION SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES,
"KAVANAGH'S," 35 TALBOT STREET.

BATTERSBY & CO., having SOLD the Premises, are now instructed to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above date, THE REMAINING STOCK-IN-TRADE, comprising: Gent.'s Boots and Shoes (large sizes), Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes; all of good quality; also sundry Shop Furniture and Fittings, including Showcase, Bentwood Chairs, and Electric Light Fittings.
On View Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock. SALE 12 o'clock. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees.

ON A DATE TO BE NAMED EARLY IN DECEMBER,
6 CUMBERLAND STREET, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

WE are favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, THIS WELL-SITUATED GROCERY AND PROVISION SHOP AND DWELLINGHOUSE attached; also, at the same time, THE STOCK-IN-TRADE, FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
FULL PARTICULARS IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.
Messrs. FRADY & DAWSON, Solicitors, 20 Molesworth street.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13TH.
IMPORTANT SALE OF GROUND RENTS, FEE-SIMPLE, &c.
OVER £420 YEARLY.

VALUABLE GROUND AND PROFIT RENTS TOTALLING TO £244 PER ANNUM, OUT OF VALUABLE PROPERTY, 49 HENRY STREET, 609 and 611 NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD, 13 to 17 and 27 to 37 (ODD NOS.) JONES' ROAD, GLASNEVIN, and 27 to 37 UPPER MOUNTPLEASANT AVENUE, RANELAGH,
TO BE SOLD IN VARIOUS LOTS.
FURTHER PARTICULARS IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.
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EXCEPTIONALLY WELL-SECURED FEE-SIMPLE AND OTHER GROUND RENTS, AMOUNTING TO OVER £177 PER ANNUM, OUT OF PREMISES, NORTH DUBLIN UNION (PART OF), NORTH BRUNSWICK ST., UPPER ABBEY ST, GREAT STRAND ST., AND AUGHRIM ST. IN 4 LOTS.
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FURNITURE AUCTIONS CONDUCTED AND VALUATIONS MADE ALL PARTS OF IRELAND.

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AUCTIONS BY DOCKRELL LIMITED.

FURNITURE AUCTION, WEDNESDAY NEXT, 28TH NOV.
SURREY HOUSE, 49B LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE, we are instructed TO SELL A LARGE RESIDUE OF FURNITURE by Auction—Mahogany Nelson Sideboard, also Carved Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard, Enclosed Mahogany Bookcase, Mahogany Hall Clock, Pair do. Hall Chairs, Walnut Hall Stand, Inlaid Mahogany Cabinet Gramophone, Inlaid Mahogany shaped-front Drawingroom Cabinet, Circular-top Mahogany Table, Inlaid Mahogany 2-tab Table, Pair of Armchairs, upholstered in hide; Mahogany Revolving Bookcase, Rocking Chair, Encyclopædia Britannica, 9th Edition; Crush, quantity of Almost new Cutlery, Dinner and Breakfast Services, Oriental and other Decorative China, Table Glass, Plated Pillar Lamp, 15 Yards Axminster Stair Carpeting, a similar quantity of Axminster Stair Carpeting of different pattern, Axminster Room Carpet, Mahogany Wardrobe, Mahogany Toilet Table, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Walnut Overmantel, Single Iron Bed and Hair Mattress, Lace Curtains, Skin Rug, Perfection Oil Stoves, Turkish Bath, Child's Cot and Mattress, Pictures, Gas Fires, Gas Cooking Stove, Mangle, some Kitchen Utensils, Dresser, Lawn Mower, Stone Roller.
ON VIEW ON MORNING OF SALE.

IMPORTANT SALE OF GROUND RENTS,
AMOUNTING TO CLOSE ON £300 PER ANNUM.
AT OUR SALEROOMS, ON THURSDAY, 6TH DECEMBER.

LOT 1.—£92 17s. 8D. PER ANNUM, ISSUING OUT OF Nos. 66, 67, 68, 69 and 70 GROSVENOR ROAD, and Nos. 15, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 RATHGAR ROAD. Held with other premises under Fee-Farm Grant, indemnified against rent.

LOT 2.—£36 5s. 4D. PER ANNUM, ISSUING OUT OF Nos. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 RATHGAR ROAD. Held with other premises under Fee-Farm Grant, indemnified against rent.

LOT 3.—£28 5s. 0D. PER ANNUM, ISSUING OUT OF Nos. 103, 104, 105 RATHGAR ROAD and JOHNSTON'S COTTAGES at rear; Nos. 150, 151 and 152 UPPER RATHMINES. Held with other premises under Fee-Farm Grant, indemnified against rent.

LOT 4.—£110 18s, 3D. PER ANNUM, ISSUING OUT OF Nos. 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50 and 51 GROSVENOR ROAD, and Nos. 36, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46 and 47 RATHGAR ROAD. Held with other premises under Fee-Farm Grant, indemnified against rent.

LOT 5.—£55 PER ANNUM, NET RENTAL, ISSUING OUT OF Nos. 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58 and 59 CASIMIR ROAD and ARDPATRICK and FERNCLIFF, KIMMAGE ROAD, CO. DUBLIN. Held under 3 indentures of lease.
Messrs. H. B. BURTON & SON, Solicitors, 45 Dame street, Dublin.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

ARDRONAN, DROMISKIN, CASTLEBELLINGHAM, CO. LOUTH.

MESSRS. GARVEY and GOOD HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO
SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT 21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN,
ON THURSDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1928, AT THE HOUR OF 2 O'CLOCK.

This desirable Residence, standing on 28 acres, Statute measure, situated on a good elevation, with very commanding views. The Residence is substantially built and in good order. Contains 4 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, dressing room, bathroom, h. and c. supply, lavatories suitably arranged, servants' apartments, good kitchen, storerooms, pantries, etc. Good Out-offices, fruit and vegetable garden.
THE PROPERTY IS ALL FREEHOLD.
Further particulars from D. O'CONNELL, Solicitor, Francis street, Dundalk; or
GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

SUNNYSIDE, CHURCHILL AVENUE, BALLSBRIDGE.

MESSRS. GARVEY and GOOD HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO
SELL THE ABOVE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
AT 21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN,
ON THURSDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, AT THE HOUR OF 2 O'CLOCK,

This desirable detached Residence, charmingly situated, close to tram and 'bus. The Residence has been skilfully designed, with ease of working, and embodies all labour-saving devices. Electric light and gas laid on, good garage and garden. Contains 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c. supply; lavatories suitably arranged; good kitchen, pantries, etc.
Held under lease for a term of 112 years from 1st June, 1928, subject to the yearly rent of £7. Further particulars from J. C. ERSKINE, Solicitor, 14 South Frederick street, Dublin; or
GARVEY & GOOD, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
21 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE TWO DAYS' SALE BY AUCTION, THIS DAY (SATURDAY), AND ON MONDAY NEXT (in Continuation),
HIGH-CLASS MODERN FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES, PIANO PLAYER, 8-STOP AMERICAN ORGAN, CARPETS AND EFFECTS,
including: A very fine German Upright Cottage Pianoforte, in handsome Burr walnut case, full iron frame, overstrung, under damper, ivory keys, etc.; four other sweet-toned Cottage Pianofortes, by "Collard and Collard," "Bord," Paris, etc.; Piano Player and 25 Rolls Music; Gramaphones and Records; Bacon-Slicing Machine, set of 3 Plated Dish Covers, and another set of 2 ditto; elegant Sheraton Bureau, of choice manufacture; pair of Gilt Shield-shape 3-branch Girandoles, massive Cut and Pierced Brass Curb, large pair Marli Horses, and pair of smaller ditto; Marble Mantel Clock, visible escapement movement; set of 10 Mahogany-frame Dining Chairs, in moquette; beautiful Walnut Chiffonier, with marble top and glass back; 4ft. Mahogany Bookcase and Cabinet, 3ft. ditto, 3ft. Walnut ditto, with lead light doors; several exceptional Mahogany, Walnut and Oak SIDEBOARDS AND CABINETS; Mahogany Screw-expanding DINING TABLES, with extra leaves, various sizes; sets of Mahogany Dining Chairs, 6, 8 and 12 in each; Lounge and Easy Chairs, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Louis and other design China Cabinets, Mahogany and Walnut Hall Stands and Chairs, a number of high-class DRAWINGROOM AND DININGROOM SUITES, in various coverings; handsome Overmantels and Gilt Pier Glasses; MAHOGANY, WALNUT, OAK AND ASH BEDROOM SUITES, Double and Single-size Wardrobes, Duchesse Pairs, Dressing Chests, Washstands, Chests of Drawers, Toilet Mirrors, etc.; Pictures, Paintings, Engravings and Coloured Prints; Silver and Plated Ware, together with a large assemblage of clean Miscellaneous Furniture and Effects; also large Mahogany-top Counter, Shop Fittings and Stands, Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Two-Valve Wireless Set, in oak case, etc., etc.
AUCTION STARTS 1 P.M. EACH DAY. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees.
JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING, AT 6.30,
IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANTS' QUAY.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF DIAMONDS, GOLD WATCHES, JEWELLERY, PIANOS, SILVER, PLATED WARE, PRISM GLASSES, CAMERAS, VIOLINS, &c.,
FROM THE WINETAVERN STREET PAWN OFFICE.

Comprising: BEAUTIFUL 8-POINT BRILLIANT DIAMOND STAR (or BROOCH or HAIR ORNAMENT), DOUBLE DIAMOND CRESCENT BROOCH, SINGLE DO. 5-STONE, ½-HOOP, CLUSTER and MARQUISE DIAMOND RINGS, Diamond and other Gem Set Rings, fashionable Gold Keyless Watches (by Peerless and Campbell, etc.); Diamond and Sapphire Wristlet Watch, Gold Bangles, Brooches, Pins, Links and Studs, Gold Purse, Gold Cigarette Case, SILVER and 0/S. PLATE—Tea Set, Salver, Cups, Cases of Fish and Fruit Knives, small Set of Spoons and Forks, O.S. URN, Shell and Gadroon Border Trays, &c. MISCELLANEOUS: 3 GERMAN UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOS (PRACTICALLY IN NEW CONDITION, by STEUER, SCHIEDMAYER and KUHLA), H.M.V. CABINET GRAMAPHONE, Cabinet Victrola, do., Violoncello, Violins, Waterford Glass Bowl, costly Botanical Microscope, solid Silver Cornet, interesting Bronze Statuette of the Limerick Piper; one dozen Cameras, including 3 costly Press Cameras, with Cooke Lens; Lady's Fur Motor Coat, with other interesting Property.
On View at Auction Rooms Next Wednesday, from 11 o'clock to 5. SALE, 6.30. PIANOS TO BE SOLD at 8 o'clock.
L. GARLAND, AUCTIONEER and VALUER, 8 MERCHANTS' QUAY.

ANDREW J. KEOGH'S SALES

AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,
ON NEXT FRIDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER, AT 1.30.
OLD-ESTABLISHED LICENSED HOUSE,
DUNNE'S, 4 CANAL PLACE, JAMES'S STREET HARBOUR, GRAND CANAL.

(BY DIRECTION OF THE OWNERS, WHO ARE RETIRING FROM BUSINESS).
The Property has been in the Vendor's family for over fifty years, and will be Sold by way of sub-lease for 500 years, subject to £30 yearly. The Poor Law Valuation is £60.
The Premises have been maintained in perfect order, and contain a well-planned Spirit Bar, Billiard Room, Tiled Store and Yard; also comfortable Residence, having separate hall entrance, consisting of drawing and diningroom, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery, bathroom (with hot and cold supply), etc. On the new thoroughfare, from Cork street to the Canal, over 200 Residences will be erected; this and other building schemes in the vicinity, when completed, should substantially supplement the trading of this House.
Cards to View and particulars of trading from AUCTIONEER.
Conditions of Sale from Messrs. A. & L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, 24 Dame street.

FRIDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, AT 1.30.
PEMBROKE TOWNSHIP.
ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENTS—RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES,
95 AND 97 STRAND ROAD, SANDYMOUNT (IN TWO LOTS).

HELD, WITH NOS. 91 and 93 STRAND ROAD, UNDER LEASE FOR 99½ YEARS FROM SEPTEMBER, 1909. EACH WILL BE SOLD PRIMARILY LIABLE TO AN ANNUAL RENT OF £5.
LOT 1.—95 STRAND ROAD is let to a quarterly tenant at £63 per annum, landlord paying taxes. P.L.V. £27.
LOT 2.—97 STRAND ROAD is sub-leased for 8 years from 1926 at £82 per annum, landlord paying taxes. P.L.V. £27.
DOUBLE-FRONTED HOUSES, each containing drawing and diningroom, with folding doors; breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, maid's apartment, kitchen, bathroom (h. and c. supply); long garden. No. 97 has garage and electric light.
Conditions of Sale from Messrs. JOYCE & JOYCE, Solicitors, 128 St. Stephen's Green.

IMPORTANT SPIRIT BAR, FAVOURABLY KNOWN UNDER THE SIGN OF
"THE RED LION,"
46 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET AND 57 STEPHEN STREET (JUNCTION OF AUNGIER STREET).
SPLENDID BUSINESS POSITION.

AN IMPOSING CORNER STRUCTURE, HELD FROM THE SOUTH CITY MARKETS CO., FOR A TERM OF 99 YEARS FROM THE 1st JANUARY, 1890, AT THE ADJUSTED YEARLY RENT OF £95 12s. 6d.
(PER INSTRUCTIONS OF THE OWNER.)
This Property occupies a position in the main city area that gives it a perpetual free advertisement, and has secured for it a successful trading. It consists of lofty and splendidly appointed Bar, with three porch entrances, select smokeroom, lavatory on bar level; excellent cellarage.
The commodious Residence, which is reached by separate hall entrance, is a feature of importance, the first two flats containing each five spacious apartments and four apartments and combined bathroom. In this connection, it may be mentioned that an owner not requiring the residential portion could obtain for same a handsome yearly income.
The Property was built by the South City Markets Co. after up-to-date plans and at considerable expense. It is one of the few properties of its kind that holds an asset of considerable magnitude, irrespective of the great value of the licence, property in the immediate vicinity commanding substantial rents.
Conditions of Sale from JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor, 58 Parnell square.
Particulars of trading and view cards from Auctioneer.

CENTRAL CITY LICENSED PREMISES,
THE HORSESHOE BAR, 18 PARLIAMENT STREET
(BY DIRECTION OF MR. TIMOTHY GROGAN, WHO INTENDS DEVOTING ENTIRE ATTENTION TO HIS RECENTLY ACQUIRED LEESON STREET LICENSED PROPERTY).
Soundly built four-storey structure of red brick, with conspicuous double dial clock on façade, consisting of an expensively fitted bar in mahogany, with marble top counter and bevelled mirror reflectors; private enclosures at either end of bar; cellarage, with enclosed bins and goods lift; lavatory, with tiled walls; dwelling apartments, comprising drawingroom, diningroom, three bedrooms, bath (h. and c. supply), fitted hand basin, kitchen (copper cylinder and close range). The entire is in perfect order, and is held for 100 years from June, 1906, at the yearly rent of £95.
This is an economic holding, the rent receivable from the garage being in excess of the head rent.
Conditions of Sale from WILLIAM MOONEY & SONS, Solicitors, 15 Fleet street.

THE WHITEHORSE BAR, 28 ELLIS'S QUAY
(PER INSTRUCTIONS OF MR. D. H. RUSSELL, WHO IS RETIRING OWING TO ILL HEALTH).
A compact Spirit Bar, neatly appointed and in good order; store, cellarage and yard; also five dwelling apartments and bathroom; electric light and telephone service; garage at rear, which is let at twenty-five shillings per month. Lease 75 years from September, 1881, at £15 yearly.
This is an economic holding, the rent receivable from the garage being in excess of the head rent.
Conditions of Sale from WILLIAM MOONEY & SONS, Solicitors, 15 Fleet street.

ANDREW J. KEOGH, AUCTIONEER, 10 LR. ORMOND QUAY.

FURNITURE, SILVER, &c.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, will SELL on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5th, 1928, in their SALEROOMS, Commencing at 12 noon, A COLLECTION OF
ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE;
SILVER, GLASS, CHINA AND PICTURES.
INTENDING VENDORS WILL PLEASE COMMUNICATE AT AN EARLY DATE WITH
BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALE
AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
EVERY THURSDAY.
ENTRIES INVITED.
GAVIN LOW, LTD.

GRAZING TO LET.

SALLINS	21 Acres.
DUNSHAUGHLIN	60 Acres.
CASTLEKNOCK	9 Acres.
BLANCHARDSTOWN	20 Acres.
JULIANSTOWN	50 Acres.

Apply—
GAVIN LOW, LTD.
BALALLY, DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN.

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE
SALE OF STOCK, CROPS, FARM MACHINERY, IMPLEMENTS, &c.

THE Executors of the late M. Barrington Jellett, having disposed of the Farm, have instructed us to
SELL BY AUCTION,
At the Farm Yard, BALALLY, DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN,
On TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, 18th and 19th DECEMBER, 1928,
Commencing at 12 o'clock each day, the entire Stock, Crops, Farm Machinery, Implements, etc., comprising 24 Cattle (principally A.A. crosses), 61 Ewes (heavy in lamb), 2 Suffolk Rams, 3 Cheviot Wethers, Exceptionally good Working Horses, 1 Young Donkey.
About 80 Tons very good First Crop and 80 Tons Old Meadow Hay, Rick of Straw, a quantity of Potatoes, Turnips and Mangolds.
20 h.p. Hornsby Oil Engine, Ruston and Proctor Thresher (42 inch drum), Bamford Root Cutter and Cleaner, Bamford Chaff Cutter, Bamford Oat Bruiser, and Kibler Shafting, Belting, Pulley Wheels, etc.
25 Volt Dynamo and Switch Board, 34 h.p. Fairbanks-Morse Engine, Benthal Bone Crusher, Deering Reaper and Binder, Deering two-horse Mowing Machine (Reaper attachment), Fierce two-horse Mowing Machine, Deering Disc Sower, Ransome Hay Rake, 2-Chill Ploughs (Pierce and Ransome), Martin Cultivator, Turnip Sower, Harrows, Grubbers, 2 Double-Mould Board Ploughs, 4 Farm Carts and Float (in excellent condition), Round rubber-tyred Trap, Handcart, 4 Sets Cart Harness, 1 Set Driving Harness, Back Bands, Chains, etc.; Metal Roller, Drill Roller, 2 Hay bogies, Pierce Hay Tedder, Water Cart, Sheep Rack, Iron and Wooden Gates and Posts, Iron Piping and Gutters, Stone and Wooden Feeding Troughs, a quantity of Paling Rails, Empire Fencing, Corrugated Iron and Timber, about 100 Railway Sleepers, Iron Water Tanks, Barrels, Lime Sprayer, Double-action Trench Pump, Anvil, Bellows and Forge Tools, Forks, Shovels, Picks, Spades, a large quantity of Garden Tools, Hen Houses, Chicken Coops, and about 20 head Pure-bred Fowl.
N.B.—Live Stock will be sold at 12 o'clock on Wednesday. Terms at Sale.
GAVIN LOW, LTD.,
Auctioneers,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

DUBLIN WOOL SALES.
NEXT AUCTION:
WEDNESDAY, 5th DECEMBER.
Intending Consignors should forward immediately in order to facilitate the work of grading and selecting.
GANLY, SONS & CO.,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

CITY OF CORK.
In the Matter of News and Sons, Ltd. (In Voluntary Liquidation).
SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
Of
Extensive City Premises, situate at Marlboro' street, Cork, comprising the Offices, Press and Printing Rooms of the above Company, proprietors of the "Cork Constitution" Newspaper;
ALSO
THE OFFICE FURNITURE AND FIXTURES, SAFES, &c.

W. MARSH AND SONS are instructed by the Liquidator to Sell by Auction at MARLBORO' STREET, CORK, on TUESDAY NEXT, 27th NOVEMBER, 1928, at Twelve o'clock, the Premises and Furniture in above. The Premises for Sale comprise Nos. 40 and 41 Marlboro' street, held on lease for a term of 125 years, from the 5th March, 1901. Rent, £66 p.a.; P.L.V., £47.
No. 42 Marlboro' street, held on lease for a term of 500 years from 1st May, 1790. Rent, £19 13s. 6d. p.a.; P.L.V., £24.
Part of No. 38 Marlboro' street, held on lease for a term of 30 years, from 1st January, 1912. Rent, £20; now sub-let to a monthly tenant at £24 per annum.
The entire property comprises ground floor offices with extensive store at rear; Editorial Offices, Press Rooms, and Spacious Printing Rooms overhead. Clear possession will be given to the purchaser, excepting portion of No. 38 as let.
OFFICE FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.
After the Premises are offered for Sale, the Furniture and Effects will be sold by auction.
For Conditions of Sale of the Premises apply to ARTHUR JULIAN, Solicitor, 43 South Mall, Cork.
WILLIAM L. WHITE, F.S.A.A., Liquidator, 11 South Mall, Cork.
W. MARSH & SONS,
Auctioneers, CORK.

CLEARANCE SALE.
KILCREAGH, DONABATE.

HAVING Sold this Farm, we are instructed to SELL BY AUCTION on MONDAY, 10th DECEMBER, 12.30 o'clock, Household Furniture and Outdoor Effects, Farming Implements, 11 Cattle, Poultry, Manure, etc. Terms at Sale.
LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD.,
(M.I.A.A.),
5 SMITHFIELD.

LANDS TO LET.
150 Acres at OLDBAWN and BALLYMANA, near TALLAGHT.
80 " at OAKLEY PARK, CELBRIDGE.
140 " at KILBRIDE, CLONDALKIN.
Particulars from
LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD.,
(M.I.A.A.),
5 SMITHFIELD.

BALBRIGGAN LIVE STOCK SALES,
TUESDAY NEXT,
27th NOVEMBER, at 12 o'clock.
JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

MILLTOWN, ASHBOURNE, CO. MEATH—On Wednesday next, 28th November, 1928, at 2 o'clock, Letting of 123 Irish acres, for Grazing and Meadowing, in nice-sized divisions, for the Executors of Martin Doyle, Deceased.
FLAT HOUSE and CRADDOCKSTOWN, DUNBOYNE, CO. MEATH—On Friday, 30th November, 1928, at 12 o'clock, Letting of 100 acres Grazing Land, in divisions, with good keep, by Public Auction, for Mrs. Connolly.
MABESTOWN, THE WARD, CO. DUBLIN—On Same Day (Friday), at 1 o'clock, Letting of 124 Acres Grazing Land, in divisions, with good keep, by Public Auction, for Mrs. Connolly.
JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

RESIDENTIAL FARM
FOR SALE PRIVATELY.
Containing 100 odd acres Prime Fattening Land. Rent £106 0/4; P.L.V., £135 10/-. Gentleman's Residence in good repair, situated convenient to Balbriggan and 16 miles north of Dublin. Clear possession.
JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.
BALBRIGGAN, CO. DUBLIN.

DWELLINGHOUSE & PREMISES
FOR SALE PRIVATELY.
Double-fronted House, stone built and slated, containing drawingroom, diningroom, kitchen, maid's room, pantry, scullery, 5 good bedrooms, bathroom, w.c.; with spacious yard, containing horse and cattle sheds, large store (lofted), hay shed, etc.; all in perfect order, requiring no outlay; nicely situated in the town of Balbriggan; held in fee-simple; total P.L.V. £23. Apply
JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.

GRAZING LETTINGS BY PRIVATE TREATY.
70 acres at The Ward, 40 at Portmarnock, 200 at Rathcoffey, 35 at Fieldstown, 26, 15 and 8 at Follymon, 60 at Santry, 40 at Clondrinkin, with abundance of keep; 26 and 19 at Ardcath, 19 at Rathausan.
JOHN P. CUFFE, LTD.,
Auctioneers, Valuers and Live Stock Salesmen, 31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

PRIME GRAZING,
For L. Collins, Esq.,
FRIDAY, 30th NOVEMBER, at 1.30, at
COMMONS,
On the 10-Mile-Bush road, for L. Collins, Esq., 27 Acres, 11 Acres, 12 Acres, 5 Acres Aftergrass and good keep.
SAME DAY, at 2.30, at
BARRSTOWN,
Beside The Hatchet.
19 Acres, 27 Acres, 10 Acres, all in Aftergrass.
LEONARD, SON & CO., LTD.

COUNTY LOUTH.
SALE OF EXCELLENT RESIDENTIAL FARM AT BOLIES, CASTLEBELLINGHAM,
For C. Smith, Esq.
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 28th NOVEMBER, 1928,
In the COURTHOUSE, ARDEE, at 1.30.
All that Farm, containing 87 acres Statute measure, or thereabouts, Prime Tillage or Grazing Lands, all green except 8 acres. Annuity £96 2/10. Poor Law Valuation £113 5/-, with splendid Two-storeyed Residence, Slated Out-offices, and Iron Hay Barn.
JOHN QUIN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Ardee.
KIERAN & McGEE,
Auctioneers, etc.,
ARDEE, CO. LOUTH.

COLLON, CO. LOUTH.
SALE OF FARM, WITH SUBSTANTIAL RESIDENCE AND OUT-OFFICES,
For Richard Howard, Esq.,
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 28th NOVEMBER, 1928,
In the COURTHOUSE, ARDEE, at 2 o'clock.
All that substantial Residence, Yard and Out-offices known as "Factory House," together with 15 acres, Statute measure, or thereabouts. Annuity, £25 16/-. Poor Law Valuation, £35. This attractive Holding is situated within the village of Collon, six miles from Drogheda and five miles from Ardee. Two-storeyed Residence, 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, w.c., etc.; water supply by gravitation. Good 'bus service daily to and from Dublin and all local stations.
M. L. COLAHAN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, Ballinasloe.
KIERAN & McGEE,
Auctioneers, etc.,
ARDEE, CO. LOUTH.

TOWN OF CARLOW.
SALE OF DWELLING AND VALUABLE PREMISES, FORMERLY KNOWN AS
THE COUNTY CLUB HOUSE,
DUBLIN STREET, CARLOW.

SUBSCRIBER has received instructions to offer for Sale the above well-known Premises, which were, until recently, used as Offices, etc., by the Irish Sugar Manufacturing Co. The Residence is substantially built, and consists of 3 storeys, with basement, containing 8 bedrooms, 3 reception, ballroom (42 x 24), supper room adjoining (36 x 16), with water, gas and electric light installations. A considerable sum was spent lately on fitting and decorating. The building faces the Station road, and has a very imposing frontage, with separate yard entrances. There is stabling for 35 horses, 2 coach-houses, with extensive lofting, and spacious yard accommodation. There is also an enclosed garden of about ½ acre. The position and extent of these Premises offer an unique opportunity for enterprise, and with such a nominal rent should attract purchasers.
The Property is held under Fee-Farm Grant dated 24th December, 1858, at the nominal rent of £6 17/- per annum.
Tenders (in writing) to be submitted to the Solicitor having Carriage of Sale.
For further particulars apply to JOHN J. DUGGAN, Solicitor, Carlow; or
PATRICK C. BERGIN,
Auctioneer, CARLOW.

FOR SENDING ABROAD TO FRIENDS the best Irish Paper is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." Price Twopence.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 27TH NOVEMBER,
67 MARLBOROUGH ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

DESIRABLY-SITUATED HOUSE, within three or four minutes' walk of Donnybrook and Clonskeagh trams. House contains 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, maid's room, with kitchen, pantries, etc.; electric light. Held for 480 years from 1862, subject, with other houses, to £25 a year, but indemnified against £21 17s. 6d. thereof, and said subject to £3 2s. 6d per annum. Clear possession.
Messrs. THOMAS GERRARD & CO., 25 Westmoreland street.

BOHEMIAN PICTURE THEATRE, PHIBSBORO',
WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

THIS ADMIRABLY-SITUATED CINEMA THEATRE, held for 99 years from 1913, subject to £40 per annum, will be Sold together with MACHINERY AND PLANT, which are up-to-date and in perfect working order. Capable of being started at once.
THE THEATRE is about 134 feet 6in. by 40 feet, with balcony, and has seating accommodation for about 800 people. It is a substantial structure, erected in 1914, under the supervision of an eminent architect, as an up-to-date Cinema. It has 14-inch brick walls, steel stanchions, supporting iron-framed girders to carry roof. It has all necessary accommodation for the public, and is licensed for the exhibition of films, and for music, singing and dancing. A passage 15 feet wide, in addition to above measurements, runs beside the Theatre, and into this passage emergency doors open.
EQUIPMENT, consisting of 25 B.p. Crossley gas engine, with belting, dynamos and switch board; Kalee No. 6 Projectors, with Dalmeyer wide aperture Series 14 lenses, with high intensity arcs, complete with motors, etc.; slide projector, switch board, film box, spools, etc. A large amount of Seating (not assembled), with runners, carpet and linoleum, office furniture. Modern low pressure water heating apparatus throughout the building.
The theatre is situate in the centre of a populous district, and the population is rapidly increasing, and very many new houses have been, and are being, erected in the immediate neighbourhood.
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SALE ON THE PREMISES.
TUESDAY, 11TH DECEMBER.
"ANNAMORE," BALLYFERMOT, CHAPELIZOD.
LEASEHOLD INTEREST AND FURNITURE.

Standing detached on a healthy elevated position, with an acre of ground. NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE, containing 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, scullery, pantries; wired for electric light. In first-class condition, newly painted and decorated, requires no outlay. Out-offices, consisting of garage, with kennels and concrete yard. Held for about 400 years, subject to £10 per annum. Clear possession. ALSO
PRACTICALLY NEW FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
Comprising: Diningroom Suite of Jacobean oak, comprising Sideboard, Overmantel, Wall Mirror, Telescope Dining Table, set of six Chairs and two Carvers, all en suite. Also Jacobean Bureau and Bookcase, Easy Chairs, Lounge Chairs, Fire Sets with Coal Vases, Parquetry and other Linoleum, Hearth Rugs, Octagonal and Circular Tables, Suites of Chenille and other Curtains; Oak Hall Stand, with mirror back; Table Grand Gramophone (His Master's Voice) and Records, Marconi Two-Valve Wireless Set, two Petrol Lamps, Tantalus, etc.; Jacobean style Bedroom Suite, with Bed to match; Oak Chest of Drawers, Double Walnut Bedroom Suite, Inlaid Mahogany Bed and Spring and Bedding, including new Blankets, Down Quilts, Linen, etc. Also practically new Stair Carpeting of Persian pattern, with Angle Rods; Kitchen Dresser and Cabinet, Deal Table, Kitchen Utensils, Metal Tubs, Lawn Mower, Garden Tools, Shamrock Fire Stove, pair of Metal Garden Vases, Steam-jacket Boiler, Iron Railings, Wheelbarrow; also Potatoes, Turnips, etc., in the ground. ON VIEW DAY PREVIOUS from 10-5.
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Lease 400 years from 1869, at £2; P.L.V., £12.
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One storey at front, containing parlour, 2 bedrooms and kitchen; garden front and rear, out-office and back entrance; overlooks at rear City Basin (Blessington street) Park; adjacent to St. Joseph's Church and tram line (1d. to Pillar). A respectable and greatly favoured middle-class residential district, where vacant houses are always scarce. Immediate possession. Key with Auctioneer.

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